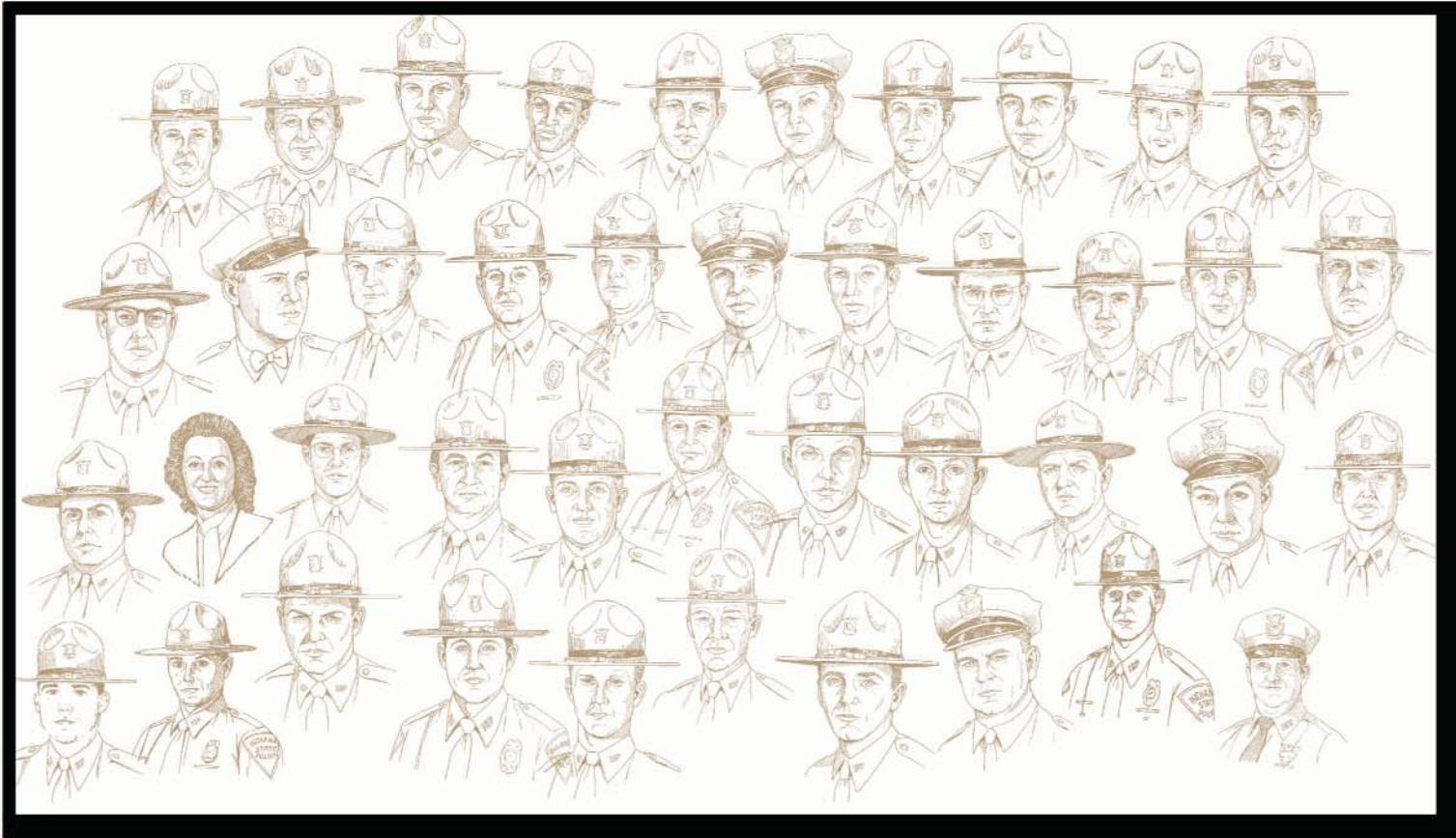


Indiana State Police 2003 Annual Report



1933 - 2003

70 Years of Service & Sacrifice to Hoosiers



Melvin J. Carraway,
Superintendent

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INDIANA STATE POLICE
INDIANAPOLIS



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SUPERINTENDENT
MELVIN J. CARRAWAY

July 1, 2004

TO: Honorable Joseph E. Kernan
Governor

FROM: Melvin J. Carraway, Superintendent
Indiana State Police Department

SUBJECT: Annual Report

It is my distinct pleasure to submit the 2003 Indiana State Police Annual Report for your review.

The department continues to provide superior public safety services to Hoosiers and visitors in the state of Indiana. Our enforcement and civilian personnel work together to make Indiana a safe place to live, work and play.

I hope as you read this report detailing our many accomplishments in 2003, you will see that our motto of Integrity, Service and Professionalism is lived everyday by our employees.

Respectfully submitted,

Melvin J. Carraway
Superintendent

Integrity . Service . Professionalism

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ON THE COVER

The Indiana State Police Memorial and Eternal Flame is a place to honor the department's fallen heroes. A "Walk of Remembrance" leads visitors to the memorial, consisting of three black granite tablets and the state's only eternal flame. Inscribed on the tablets are the names of the 42 people killed in the line of duty. The sound of Taps echoes on the hour from 6:00 am to 8:00 pm through a grove of 42 trees, which surround the memorial site as the U.S. flag and Indiana state flag fly high above.

Below the memorial picture are sketches of the individuals who made the ultimate sacrifice.

Executive Staff



**Superintendent
Melvin J. Carraway**



**Colonel Cody W. Johnson
Assistant Superintendent
Bureau of Financial Management &
Human Resources**



**Lieutenant Colonel
Larry D. Larkin
Deputy Superintendent
Bureau of
Support Services**



**Lieutenant Colonel
Monte L. McKee
Deputy Superintendent
Bureau of
Field Operations**



**Lieutenant Colonel
Michael M. Medler
Deputy Superintendent
Bureau of
Criminal Investigation**

Vision

The Indiana State Police will be the premier law enforcement agency in the country. We will be guided by three immutable values: **I**ntegrity, **S**ervice and **P**rofessionalism. In order to foster respect, creativity, teamwork and diversity, individual employees will be given the authority, latitude and responsibility associated with an empowered work force. Problem solving, crime reduction, traffic safety and police service will be approached with an unwavering consistency - - 100 percent effort, 100 percent of the time. The best available technology will be utilized in accomplishing our mission. State and federal laws will be enforced fairly, honestly and impartially. We will communicate with the public, other governmental agencies and among ourselves in an open, candid, respectful and professional manner.

Goals

The department will provide the best in **quality service** to earn the highest respect and confidence of our customers.

The department will provide **public service** through individual attention with integrity and professionalism.

Each district of the department will identify and target for each district the most significant **criminal activities** and work diligently toward addressing them.

Each district of the department will identify and target for each district the most significant **traffic-related problems** and work diligently toward addressing them.

The department will **empower all employees** to be leaders in their area of responsibility through 100 percent effort, 100 percent of the time to promote the department's mission.

The department will ensure that employees adhere to established **professional standards**.

The department will **treat our customers and colleagues in a fair and equitable manner** without regard to race, gender, religion or national origin.

The department will develop **partnerships** to reduce crime, make roadways safe and provide assistance to the public.

The department will **manage resources** to focus on those activities having the greatest impact on department priorities:

- Hiring, Retention and Support of Quality People
- Career Development
- Outcome vs. Output
- Quality Communications
- Sound Fiscal Management
- Quality Training
- Public Image
- Quality Laboratory Services

The department will utilize the best available technology, including communications technology, to meet the demands of its customers.

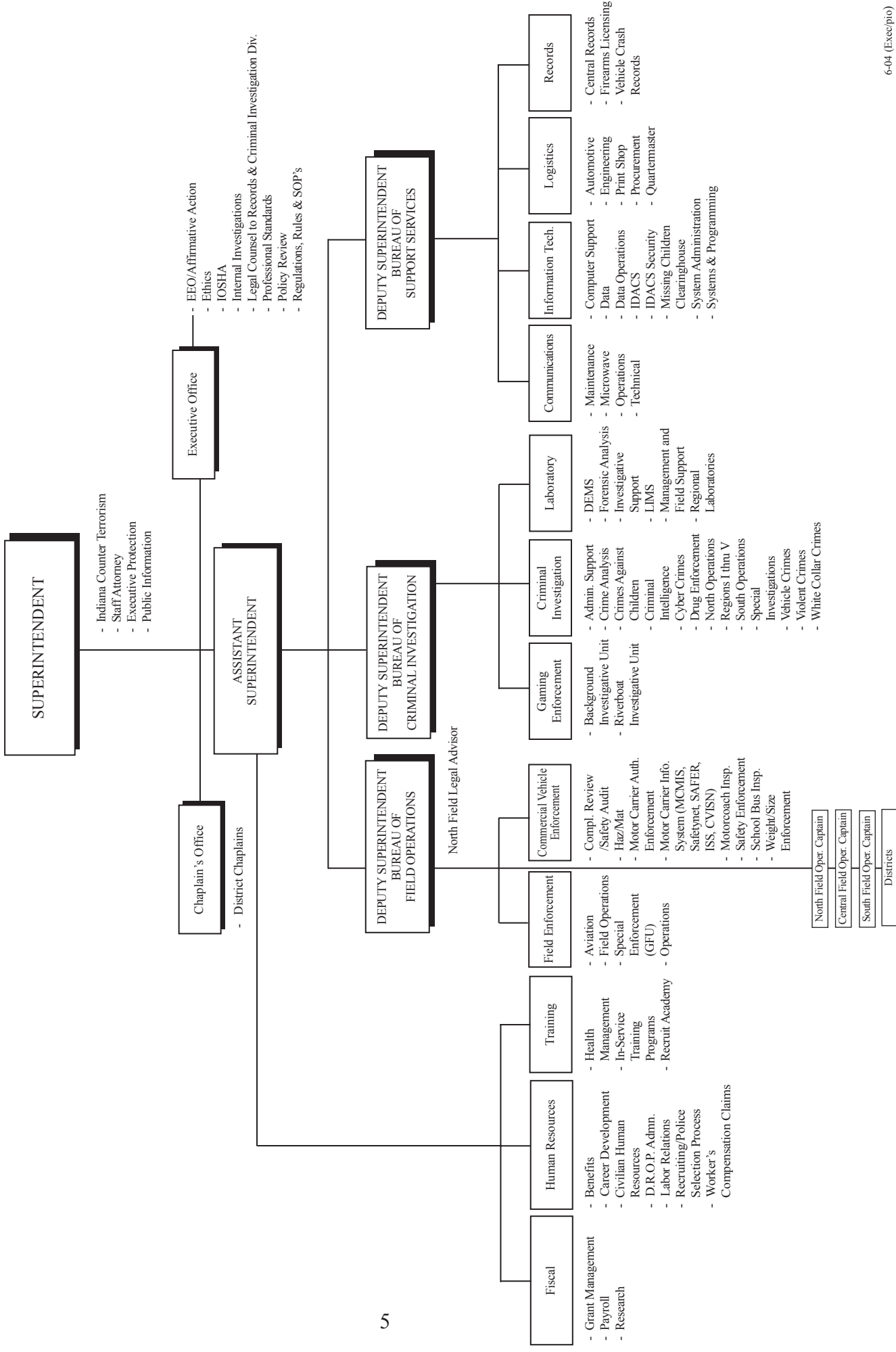
Rules of Official Conduct

1. Members of the Indiana State Police shall be habitually courteous. They shall recognize their responsibilities as public servants and shall be particularly attentive to citizens seeking assistance, information, to register complaints or to give evidence.
2. They shall accept their responsibility to the public by being punctual in their engagements and expeditious in the performance of their duties.
3. They shall regard their office as a public trust, and in the discharge of their duties, be constantly mindful of their primary obligation to serve the public efficiently and effectively.
4. They shall administer the law in a just, impartial and reasonable manner and shall not provide more reasonable treatment to some people than to others. They shall recognize the limitations of their authority and at no time use the power of their office for their own personal advantage.
5. They shall be true to their obligation as custodians of public property and shall bear in mind that the misuse or waste of public property is equally as reprehensible as the misuse or waste of money from the public treasury.
6. They shall not limit their effectiveness in the administration of their office by accepting gratuities or favors from those with whom they may have official business.
7. They shall cooperate fully with all public officials, assuring the safety and general welfare of the public. They shall not permit jealousies or personal differences to influence their cooperation with other agencies or with one another.
8. They shall add to their effectiveness by diligent study and sincere attention to self-improvement. They shall welcome the opportunity to disseminate practical and useful information relating to matters of the public's safety and welfare.
9. They shall so conduct their public and private lives that the public will regard them as examples of stability, fidelity and morality.
10. They shall bear faithful allegiance to their government and be loyal to their profession. They shall accept, as a sacred obligation, their responsibility as citizens to support the constitutions and laws of the United States and of the state of Indiana. As public servants, they shall consider the privilege of defending the principles of liberty, as defined in our constitutions and laws, the greatest honor that may be bestowed upon any individual.

District Location Map



ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



Personnel Statistics

	2003
Enforcement	1,192
Civilian	670
TOTAL	1,862

Enforcement Rank Percentage

Rank	% of Total	Total Within Rank
Superintendent*	<.1	1
Colonel	<.1	1
Lieutenant Colonel	.2	3
Major	1.2	15
Captain	1.2	15
Lieutenant	3.0	35
First Sergeant	4.6	55
Sergeant	16.2	193
Corporal	3.0	36
Trooper	70.4	839
TOTAL	100.0	1,193
* Appointed by the Governor		

Retired Enforcement Personnel

Name	Rank	Years of Service
Andrews, James A.	First Sergeant	30
Biddle, James L.	Lieutenant	28
Cook, Fred D.	Sergeant	29
Delaney, Larry E.	Lieutenant Colonel	34
Eck, Larry L.	First Sergeant	36
Eidam, Rudolph G.	Captain	25
Elmore, John B.	Master Trooper	35
Frye, Lennie G.	Corporal	33
Hildebrand, Michael E.	Master Trooper	23
Hill, John H.	Major	29
Holland, Robert D.	Major	37
Jackson, Jeremy F.	Master Trooper	33
Jenkins, Charles A.	Corporal	25
Jenkins, Marvin L.	Sergeant	33
Kirk, Richard D.	Sergeant	22
Kowalski, Robert J.	Sergeant	38
Mason, Mark R.	Major	25
Matanic Randolph T.	Master Trooper	31
Mitchell, Mark D.	Lieutenant	27
Moore, Daniel S.	Master Trooper	29
Nunn, William E.	Corporal	33
Petree, L. Dean	Lieutenant Colonel	34
Poe, Kevin D.	Master Trooper	26
Schulte, Theodore E.	Master Trooper	25
Sylvester, David L.	Lieutenant	26
Turchi, Frank L.	Master Trooper	29
Walters, James H.	Master Trooper	29
Williams, Kelvis T.	Major	25
Yoakum, George E.	Sergeant	35

Deceased Enforcement Personnel

Name	Rank	Years of Service
Patrick, Scott A.	Trooper	2.5

Enforcement Personnel Resignations

Rank	Number	Average Years of Service
Sergeant	2	9.0
Trooper	11	6.6

Retired Civilian Personnel

Name	Classification	Years of Service
Barger, Barbara J.	Administrative Assistant V	46
Campen, Susan B.	Master Motor Carrier Inspector	23
Craft, Harold L.	Master Motor Carrier Inspector	23
Downey, Karen S.	Secretary III	43
Goble, Dorothy M.	Account Clerk III	26
Goble, Robert E.	Maintenance Supervisor II	35
Greeson, Eddie W.	Purchasing Administrator V	34
Harbison, Kathleen L.	Telecommunications Specialist V	25
Hatfield, William E.	Automotive Mechanic	44
Heinlein, Barbara A.	Personnel Officer III	32
Hungate, William R.	Maintenance/Repair Supervisor IV	41
Kendall, Byron L.	Telecommunications Engineer	42
McRae, Larry G.	Telecommunications Specialist V	33
Rodriguez, Myrna K.	Secretary IV	28
Thomas, Lynda L.	Clerical Assistant II	24
Ward, Alphonsa H.	Data Processing Operator	38
Wilson, Debra L.	Master Motor Carrier Inspector	25

Deceased Civilian Personnel

Name	Classification	Years of Service
Carnes, William C.	Master Motor Carrier Inspector	14
Nagle, Samela D.	Secretary IV	18

Civilian Personnel Resignations

Classification	Number	Average Years of Service
Account Clerk IV	1	1.3
Benefit Specialist	1	11.0
Building Custodian IV	1	4.8
Clerical Assistant IV	1	4.0
Clerical Assistant V	1	0.4
Clerk Typist V	6	5.3
Compensation/Benefit Officer II	1	0.1
Data Processing Operator	2	3.8
Forensic Scientist I	2	5.9
Forensic Scientist II	1	2.0
Government Facilities Unit Officer	8	2.6
Government Facilities Unit Sergeant	2	1.7
Latent Examiner	1	18.0
Motor Carrier Inspector	3	12.7
Purchasing Administrator V	1	3.6
Secretary III	2	2.6
Secretary IV	4	4.9
Switchboard Operator V	1	0.1
Telecommunications Operator	8	3.1

Promotions

	2001	2002	2003
Civilian	57	35	31
Enforcement	107	50	50

Field Enforcement Manpower Allocation

	Capt.	Lt.	F/Sgt.	Sgt.	Cpl.	Tpr.	TOTAL
North Field Operations	1			4		3	8
District 11, Toll Road		1	1	4		28	34
District 13, Lowell		1	1	8	2	68	80
District 14, Lafayette		1	1	3	1	26	32
District 16, Peru		1	1	3	2	22	29
District 22, Fort Wayne		1	1	6	2	56	66
District 24, Bremen		1	1	4	3	36	45
District 25, Redkey		1	1	3	2	25	32
Central Field Operations	1			1		6	8
District 51, Pendleton		1	1	3	1	28	34
District 52, Indianapolis		1	1	7	2	52	63
District 53, Putnamville		1	1	3	1	32	38
District 54, Terre Haute		1		3	3	34	41
District 55, Connersville		1	1	3	2	31	38
South Field Operations	1			3		4	8
District 33, Bloomington		1	1	3	3	33	41
District 34, Jasper		1	1	3	3	33	41
District 35, Evansville		1	1	3	3	38	46
District 42, Versailles		1	1	3	2	33	40
District 43, Seymour		1	1	2	3	19	26
District 45, Sellersburg		1	1	3	1	36	42
TOTAL	3	18	17	75	36	643	792

Headquarters Enforcement Manpower Allocation

	Supt.	Col.	Lt. Col.	Major	Capt.	Lt.	F/Sgt.	Sgt.	Tpr.
Office of the Superintendent	1			2		4	2	11	1
Asst. Supt. - Bureau of Fiscal Management and Human Resources		1							
Fiscal Division				1	1	1	1	1	
Human Resources Division				1				1	
Training Division				1	1		1	5	
Bureau of Criminal Investigation			1						
Criminal Investigation Division				1	3	5	17	36	108
Gaming Enforcement Division				1	1	1	3	12	64
Laboratory Division				1	1		8	36	
Bureau of Support Services			1						
Communications Division				1	1				
Information Technology Division				1			1	6	
Logistics Division				1	1			1	1
Records Division				1	1	1	1		
Bureau of Field Operations			1	1		1			
Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division				1	1	1	1	7	22
Field Enforcement Division				1	1	3	3	2	
TOTAL	1		3	15	12	17	38	118	196

Fleet Safety Record

District	Preventable Crashes	Total Crashes	Damage Summary	Emergency Crashes	Deer Crashes
District 11, Toll Road	4	12	\$28,686.64	1	0
District 13, Lowell	9	28	\$41,558.08	5	6
District 14, Lafayette	7	17	\$39,191.60	5	4
District 16, Peru	5	8	\$8,979.63	0	2
District 22, Fort Wayne	5	17	\$45,939.67	5	4
District 24, Bremen	9	19	\$29,998.60	3	4
District 25, Redkey	2	7	\$35,193.57	2	1
District 33, Bloomington	4	12	\$28,074.38	2	3
District 34, Jasper	2	11	\$18,599.99	1	3
District 35, Evansville	2	12	\$30,302.14	3	3
District 42, Versailles	7	13	\$14,951.23	1	3
District 43, Seymour	5	8	\$11,445.21	2	0
District 45, Sellersburg	2	9	\$16,003.43	3	3
District 51, Pendleton	3	12	\$23,691.23	1	0
District 52, Indianapolis	11	30	\$49,968.12	7	3
District 53, Putnamville	1	12	\$20,003.34	3	3
District 54, Terre Haute	5	24	\$37,111.76	5	5
District 55, Connersville	1	8	\$13,328.26	1	3
General Headquarters	43	105	\$124,453.62	0	15
TOTAL	127	364	\$617,480.50	50	65

Enforcement Activity

Category	2000	2001	2002	2003
Criminal Arrests	24,942	26,717	27,318	25,617
Driving While Intoxicated	6,189	6,815	7,681	6,736
Felony Arrests	8,493	9,769	10,463	10,159
Felony Convictions	923	1,329	806	953
Intelligence Reports	3,572	3,780	2,653	2,799
Moving Arrests	231,596	252,199	240,685	211,7262
Police Services	64,678	62,653	58,592	54,995
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	1,805	1,191	698	382
Traffic Arrests	331,702	384,407	367,995	315,599
Truck Arrests	87,613	93,823	91,702	75,835
Trucks Measured	17,490	17,735	10,233	6,157
Trucks Weighed	463,150	488,350	797,319	770,998
Vehicle Crash Arrests	4,499	4,182	4,464	3,866
Vehicle Crashes Investigated	18,809	16,859	16,993	16,579
Warnings	359,288	383,285	376,794	330,432

Duty Hours

Category	2000	2001	2002	2003
Compensatory Days Off	19,720	20,601	23,214	22,932
Criminal Court	13,276	13,046	14,376	13,166
Criminal Investigations	187,533	190,847	174,062	169,162
Days Off for Illness/Injury	7,918	7,714	8,308	8,678
Days Worked	288,573	278,100	238,776	225,429
Incident Reporting	8,583	7,186	8,056	5,203
Miles Traveled	40,419,502	40,498,186	38,772,105	36,204,029
Post Command	166,737	166,937	167,686	168,098
Post Duty	555,302	535,881	517,091	482,799
Regular Days Off	141,734	142,574	140,092	135,136
Special Details	1,151,796	1,236,152	1,204,289	1,213,623
Traffic Court	11,670	12,175	10,899	8,586
Traffic Patrol	335,585	332,140	325,896	293,275
Vacation Days Off	22,880	23,113	22,545	21,339
Vehicle Crash Investigations	38,269	33,878	33,967	32,141

Traffic Related Hours

Category	Hours	Category	Hours
Athletic Events - Traffic	401	MCSAP Field Supervision	29
Attempt to Locate	850	MCSAP Inspections	36,068
Breath Tests	4,061	Motor Number Checks	2,739
Delivery of Blood/Organs	1,081	Parade Details	631
Driving Details	4,064	Police Services	54,995
Duty Driving Time	52,785	Race Detail - 500 Mile	9,004
Escorts - Military	31	Race Details - Other	14,809
Escorts - Other	366	School Bus Crash Follow-Up	113
Escorts - Oversize	7,350	Special Traffic Projects	66,176
Funeral Details	4,780	Traffic Court	8,586
HazMat Transportation Vehicle Crashes	81	Traffic Direction	7,819
License Plates - Recovered	29	Traffic Patrol	293,275
MC Enforcement Permanent Scales	33,367	Transportation Details	5,682
MC Enforcement Portable Scales	31,039	Vehicle Crash Investigations	32,141
MC HazMat Inspections	752	Vehicle Crash Reports	72,029
		Total Traffic Related Hours	745,133

Criminal Related Hours

Category	Hours	Category	Hours
Blockades	0	ERT Training Received	6,858
Case Reports	17,878	Evidence Handling	6,393
Criminal Court	13,166	Family Disturbance	1,224
Criminal Investigations	169,162	Fingerprint Security	77
DRT Administrative	0	Hazardous Waste Investigations	39
DRT Operational	33	Intelligence Gathering	49,972
DRT Training	37	Investigate Suspicious Car	2,661
EOD Administrative	1,261	Investigate Suspicious Persons	3,662
EOD Incident	900	Lab Work	24,114
EOD Training Given	575	Manhunt	1,076
EOD Training Received	2,402	Marijuana Eradication	31,161
ERT Administrative	1,260	MC HazMat Investigations	83
ERT Detail	3,183	Security IDACS Investigations	3,004
ERT Training Given	3,038	Warrant Service	6,487
		Total Criminal Related Hours	349,706

Criminal Arrests

Location	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
North Field Operations	23	8	19	32	55
District 11, Toll Road	386	404	408	445	449
District 13, Lowell	1,244	1,455	962	987	944
District 14, Lafayette	1,134	901	1,158	1,453	1,304
District 16, Peru	437	326	323	531	568
District 22, Fort Wayne	1,372	1,399	1,379	1,423	1,296
District 24, Bremen	1,469	1,383	1,466	1,743	1,760
District 25, Redkey	477	686	477	534	500
South Field Operations	216	62	120	125	36
District 33, Bloomington	1,233	866	1,213	1,131	1,268
District 34, Jasper	1,075	1,776	1,898	1,992	2,128
District 35, Evansville	1,294	1,151	1,375	2,028	1,811
District 42, Versailles	1,190	1,573	1,570	2,230	1,871
District 43, Seymour	999	919	1,021	829	866
District 45, Sellersburg	1,561	1,226	1,823	2,221	2,123
Central Field Operations	86	29	80	43	92
District 51, Pendleton	1,107	1,134	867	815	548
District 52, Indianapolis	1,820	2,457	3,591	2,445	2,277
District 53, Putnamville	1,635	2,190	1,609	2,024	1,918
District 54, Terre Haute	641	721	858	852	841
District 55, Connersville	1,342	1,442	1,156	1,045	944
General Headquarters	3,643	2,834	3,344	2,390	2,018
TOTAL	24,384	24,942	26,717	27,318	25,617

Criminal Arrests by Offense

Classification of Offenses	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Aggravated Assault	559	442	466	476	571
All Other Arrests from Case Reports	9,821	3,820	5,757	5,350	4,354
Arrests Not Captured from Case Reports	4,144	12,359	10,416	11,063	10,567
Burglary	329	136	283	126	140
Disorderly Conduct	113	78	131	86	122
Drug Abuse Violations Grand Total	4,607	4,424	5,443	6,301	5,961
Forcible Rape	7	14	7	12	8
Forgery and Counterfeiting	158	144	126	94	116
Fraud	578	407	447	430	437
Gambling	0	4	22	15	9
Larceny - Theft (Except Vehicle Theft)	1,388	586	844	595	672
Liquor Laws	1,424	1,300	1,412	1,476	1,231
Manslaughter by Negligence	4	1	5	5	3
Motor Vehicle Theft	117	73	117	105	105
Murder and Non-Negligent Manslaughter	34	20	21	20	9
Offenses Against Family and Children	103	58	11	3	1
Other Assaults	14	132	144	121	149
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	3	1	0	1	1
Public Intoxication	545	455	489	462	484
Robbery	48	29	37	98	121
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape & Prostitution)	200	285	360	326	403
Weapons: Carrying, Possession, etc.	188	174	179	153	153
TOTAL	24,384	24,942	26,717	27,318	25,617

Part One Crimes - Initial Case Reports

Arson	27
Battery	889
Burglary	511
Murder	58
Rape	114
Robbery	59
Theft	2,103
Vehicle Theft	510
TOTAL	4,271

Number of Drug Enforcement Charges

Violation	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Common Nuisance - Maintaining	167	166	261	388	494
Common Nuisance - Visiting	120	128	125	183	148
Dealing (Counterfeit Substance)	1	0	0	0	1
Dealing (Substance Represented as Controlled Substance)	2	3	1	10	3
Dealing (Sale) of Legend Drugs	10	2	11	7	6
Dealing Narcotic Drugs	155	140	148	300	477
Dealing (Schedule I, II and III Controlled Substance)	146	192	233	193	130
Dealing (Schedule IV Controlled Substance)	20	9	13	30	16
Federal Conspiracy to Deal Drugs	12	13	0	1	0
Federal Dealing in Schedule II Controlled Substance	12	16	0	0	0
Glue Sniffing	4	1	0	1	1
Issuing an Invalid Prescription	1	0	1	0	0
Marijuana Cultivation	45	30	42	77	110
Marijuana Dealing	231	163	162	189	199
Marijuana Possession	1,891	2,148	1,915	2,052	1,932
Paraphernalia Manufacture	0	0	0	0	1
Paraphernalia Possession	1,095	1,115	1,063	1,057	1,112
Possession of Controlled Substance	251	335	402	415	678
Possession of Fraudulent Prescription	1	41	58	107	16
Possession of Narcotic Drugs	185	216	205	403	557
TOTAL	4,349	4,718	4,640	5,413	5,881

Miscellaneous Offenses - Initial Case Reports

Excluding Drug Enforcement Activity and Part One Crimes

Classification of Offenses	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Bomb Threat	40	18	21	13	8
Bribery	9	5	6	8	5
Check Deception	39	26	30	43	44
Child Exploitation	32	30	29	30	37
Child Molesting	274	325	349	325	265
Contributing to the Delinquency of a Minor	25	17	19	15	14
Counterfeiting	33	18	31	28	286
Criminal Confinement	25	23	25	24	23
Criminal Mischief	761	658	694	655	544
Criminal Recklessness	200	183	200	153	163
Cruelty to Animals	11	13	11	6	10
Disorderly Conduct	37	19	31	15	23
Election Law Violation	1	1	0	1	1
Escape	12	14	20	19	14
False Informing	89	77	85	77	88
Forgery	180	294	297	238	245
Fraudulent Deception	21	23	49	137	145
Habitual Traffic Offenses	351	321	333	349	357
Harassing Communications	302	289	283	225	213
Identity Deception	0	0	0	0	333
Impersonating Public Servant	10	10	17	21	19
Intimidation	219	214	270	276	186
Juvenile Delinquency	160	153	149	112	85
Kidnap	9	5	3	4	0
Neglect	61	84	93	148	189
Obstruction of Justice	7	17	10	11	15
Official Misconduct	4	3	11	11	5
Parental Neglect	61	84	93	4	0
Perjury	11	11	19	15	13
Possession/Handgun	80	74	90	67	64
Possession/Other Illegal Weapon	14	13	12	12	7
Promoting Gambling	2	4	3	2	2
Prostitution	2	2	3	3	6
Public Intoxication	102	87	87	56	85
Resisting Law Enforcement	341	324	387	403	363
Unlawful Deviate Conduct	18	28	24	25	18
Unlawful Use of Police Radio	52	61	30	34	23
Warrant Service	2,627	2,555	2,992	2,985	2,636
TOTAL	6,162	6,048	6,713	6,707	6,534

Number of Initial Case and Incident Reports

Location	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
District 11, Toll Road	1,029	923	957	876	760
District 13, Lowell	3,140	3,131	2,616	2,171	2,273
District 14, Lafayette	1,506	1,228	1,246	1,461	1,191
District 16, Peru	839	798	841	1,309	878
District 22, Fort Wayne	1,470	1,556	1,577	1,661	1,506
District 24, Bremen	1,692	1,499	1,722	1,683	1,414
District 25, Redkey	655	777	717	681	602
District 33, Bloomington	943	919	1,039	910	840
District 34, Jasper	1,169	1,463	1,505	1,419	1,445
District 35, Evansville	1,455	1,295	1,562	1,580	1,562
District 42, Versailles	1,157	1,495	1,386	1,503	1,261
District 43, Seymour	971	1,035	1,188	1,009	863
District 45, Sellersburg	1,493	1,415	1,434	1,445	1,434
District 51, Pendleton	654	808	767	667	551
District 52, Indianapolis	2,179	2,715	2,899	2,423	2,268
District 53, Putnamville	814	840	834	943	777
District 54, Terre Haute	1,035	1,047	1,177	1,200	1,164
District 55, Connersville	1,152	1,267	1,123	1,092	862
General Headquarters	649	477	536	575	1,073
Government Facilities Unit	--	--	--	--	257
TOTAL	24,002	24,688	25,126	24,608	22,981

Indiana Fatality Statistics (Vehicle)

	2002		2003	
	Deaths	Crashes	Deaths	Crashes
Rural	594	533	564	504
Urban	187	172	223	207
Statewide	781	705	787	711
State or U.S.	296	264	337	301
County Roads	236	223	213	196
Toll Road	5	5	0	0
Interstates	57	41	84	76
Local & City Roads	187	172	153	138

Appropriations

Line Items	Fiscal Year 03-04
Agreements and Fees	\$ 220,000
Aircraft Fuel and Lubricants	172,000
Aircraft Supplies and Parts	166,000
Automobiles	3,969,104
Automobile Equipment Parts and Supplies	469,462
Camera Equipment	18,000
Camera Supplies	34,000
Central Data Processing Bill Back	228,401
Data Processing Supplies	45,000
Dues and Subscriptions	55,000
Educational Supplies, Magazines and Periodicals	84,000
Electrical Supplies	40,000
Employee Travel - Fares, Fees, Phone (In-State)	40,000
Employee Travel - Fares, Fees, Phone (Out-of-State)	12,500
Gasoline Credit Cards	245,000
Janitorial Service (Garbage and Trash)	22,000
Laundry or Linen Service	110,000
Medical and Laboratory Equipment	55,000
Medical and Medical Lab Supplies	239,191
Miscellaneous	1,214,915
Motor Vehicle Fuel and Lubricants	1,300,000
Office Equipment	21,000
Office Furniture	18,000
Postage Box Rental and Postal Meters	240,000
Printing and Binding	28,000
Radio Equipment	200,000
Rental/Maintenance of Large Scale Computers	72,000
Rental/Maintenance of Office Equipment	68,000
Rental/Maintenance of Personal Computers	24,000
Rental of Land and Buildings	33,000
Rental of Office Copying Equipment	196,000
Repair Parts and Supplies	370,000
Repair Technical and Laboratory	100,000
Repairs to Aircraft	116,000

Appropriations (continued)

Line Items (continued)	Fiscal Year 03-04
Repairs to Office Equipment	\$ 18,000
Repairs to Motor Vehicles	1,010,000
Salary, Wages and Fringe Benefits	95,221,620
Software Acquisition and Maintenance Contracts	73,000
State Employee Medical Expenses	500,000
Office Supplies	401,000
Telephone Rental	766,000
Telephone Service	747,250
Training	18,500
Utilities	687,000
Weapons, Ammunition, Handcuffs and Range Items	150,000
Wearing Apparel	93,000
Total Operating Budget	\$ 109,910,943
Major Objects	
Equipment	\$ 4,503,104
Grants and Subsidies	172,000
In-State Travel	40,000
Materials and Supplies	3,850,153
Other Services	2,797,550
Out-of-State Travel	12,500
Services by Contract	3,314,016
Total Personal Services	95,221,620
Total Operating Budget	\$ 109,910,943
Sources of Funding	
General Fund	\$ 52,427,519.81
Motor Carrier Regulatory Fund	5,055,903.38
Motor Vehicle Highway Fund	52,427,519.81
Total Operating Budget	\$ 109,910,943
<i>Fiscal Year - July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2004</i>	

Office of the Superintendent

Staff attorney and legal assistant are responsible for processing all litigation, which involves coordination with the Indiana Attorney General's Office as to legal strategy and responsive pleadings.

Field inquiries regarding legal issues facing troopers are handled by this office, which also provides legal counsel to the executive staff on personnel and contractual matters.

In addition, the office manages legislative efforts at both the state and federal levels. Staff review internal and external legislative initiatives and provide information to legislators on the department's positions and concerns about pending legislation. The office trains troopers on legislative changes.

	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>
New Lawsuits Filed	29	39	32
Tort Claims Filed	114	193	162
Lawsuits Disposed of through Settlement, Dismissal or Summary Judgment	*6	*16	*5

**This number represents only the cases that the department has received actual documentation of disposition.*

Executive Protection

The Executive Protection Detail provides security for the Governor, his immediate family and other persons as designated. Units assigned to the detail work at the statehouse and at the governor's residence.

Public Information Office

The mission of the Public Information Office is to enhance the department's image through its educational and media efforts.

As part of the *America Buckles Up Children* campaign and working with the Indiana Department of Education, letters and special buckle up announcements were delivered to

school principals across the state to remind students of the importance of seat belt use.

Staff worked with the Recruiting Section to develop a brochure and public service announcement to attract recruits.

Working with the Chaplain's Office, staff established the *Beyond This Day* program. The keepsake package is sent to bereaved department families in lieu of flowers and includes a specially designed book in a cedar box.

Coordination of department ceremonies and special events continues to be a responsibility of the office. The office coordinated promotional ceremonies and the fourth annual Superintendent's Retiree Celebration. Personnel also provided media and photographic support for the National Governor's Association Summer Meeting.

The office maintains a database of 289 retiree e-mail addresses and adds to the database on a regular basis. Department information is communicated to these individuals, releasing the office from the responsibility and expense of printing and mailing materials.

Staff strives to release information to the public that is accurate, honest and consistent with department messages to inform the public and enhance the department's image through a proactive and coordinated release of information.

The Speaker/Community Relations database documents educational programs conducted. This monthly report is distributed to commanders to assist in the assessment of programs conducted in their districts. Personnel presented 2,780 educational programs.

For over 30 years, the department has administered youth camps with support from service organizations throughout the state. More than 950 students participated in 16 camps during 2003 and over 30,000 have graduated since the first camp in 1970.

The Indiana State Police Youth Education and Historical Center houses an extensive collection of memorabilia, which includes a number of antique police vehicles. Receiving more than 20,000 visitors annually, the center continues to grow in popularity. The center offers a variety of educational tours that can be tailored to meet the needs of schools and organizations.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE



Major
Michael F. Reedus
Commander

The Executive Office is responsible for the operation of the Internal Investigation, Equal Employment Opportunity and Professional Standards Sections.

Internal Investigation Section

The Internal Investigation Section functions as a central repository for internal investigations and preliminary inquiries completed by supervisory personnel. Investigators in this section are assigned to conduct complicated investigations involving allegations of employee misconduct. It also provides advice to supervisory personnel on procedural matters regarding internal investigations. This section provides commanders with information related to the disciplinary process and existing precedent as to penalty in disciplinary cases.

Completed internal investigations and preliminary inquiries are forwarded to the section, checked for accuracy, and then reviewed by the Superintendent. Following administrative action, statistical information is extracted and records are securely stored.

	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>
Formal Investigations			
Internal Investigations	56	67	75
Employees Accused of Misconduct	61	37	62
Employees Disciplined*	37	28	43

Informal Investigations

Valid	95	67	59
Invalid	207	165	120

* Does not include terminated probationary officers or employees accused of misconduct who retired, resigned or were placed in a disability status prior to disciplinary action.

Equal Employment Opportunity Section

The Equal Employment Opportunity Section (EEO) monitors the EEO/Affirmative Action activities of the department and its employees. These responsibilities include conducting in-depth investigations into possible violations of federal and state fair employment practice laws by and against department employees.

The section is responsible for submitting the department's Affirmative Action Plan to the appropriate state and federal agencies. The purpose of the plan is to assess the department's progress in the area of EEO/Affirmative Action in addition to providing guidelines for employee conduct.

Other functions of the section include maintaining liaison with other state and federal agencies involved in civil rights enforcement. Training for employees in the area of EEO is conducted upon request of the appropriate commander.

	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>
EEO Investigations	4	3	0
Race discrimination/harassment	0	0	0
Sex discrimination/harassment	4	2	0
Other	0	1	0
Finding of cause for Complainant/Victim	2	0	0
*Supervisory Action	2	0	0

* Includes written reprimands to accused, referral of case to Internal Investigation for possible disciplinary action, or measures were taken to resolve the dispute (make whole relief).

Professional Standards Section

Professional Standards is responsible for routing the department directives for review. All directives are reviewed bi-annually by division commanders. Professional Standards maintains historical files containing department directives.

All directives are now accessible on the department's Intranet, which has search capabilities.

Office of the Assistant Superintendent Bureau of Financial Management & Human Resources

FISCAL DIVISION



*Major
Richard S. Weigand
Commander*

The department received approximately \$109.9 million in operating funds from the state legislature and approximately \$45 million in government grants. The division administers and monitors these funds with 10 civilian personnel and five enforcement officers. The three primary components of the division are Fiscal

Operations, Research Section and Grant Administration Unit.

Using new buying methods and renegotiating old contracts, the division successfully cut costs. A newly negotiated wireless plan was established for department cellular telephones to include a group calling plan to provide substantial savings to the department. Each cellular telephone has text messaging capabilities and instant paging. The division also achieved the mandated budget reductions for fiscal year 2003-2004.

The Fiscal Operations Section ensures each employee's payroll check is tabulated correctly. In each biweekly pay period, this section prepares and mails approximately 1,925 payroll direct deposit forms totaling an annual budget of \$95.2 million.

This section is also responsible for the review and submission of all requisitions, contracts, in-state and out-of-state travel requests and interdepartmental billings. The section also processes payments for purchases.

The Research Section provides information on topics of concern and safety issues for the executive staff. The section also responds to numerous requests for information from other law enforcement and community agencies.

The Grant Administration Unit assists other divisions with the administration of 41 grants and inter-agency agreements. These state and federally funded programs provide valuable resources. Listed below are some of the programs administered:

- Advanced Fingerprint Recovery Program
- AFIS and AFIS/LAFIS
- Bulletproof Vest Funding
- Combined Accident Reduction Effort (CARE)
- COPS MORE 2002
- COPS Technology Grant
- DNA & DNA Backlog Programs
- Driving Under Influence Enforcement Program (SWDUIEP)
- Drug Enforcement Unit Grant
- Highway Detail (INDOT)
- In-Car Video
- Indiana Gaming Commission
- Indiana Selective Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP)
- Internet Crimes Against Children
- Laboratory Information Management System (LIMS)
- Marijuana Eradication
- METH (Methamphetamine Grant)
- Motor Carrier Safety Assistance Program (MCSAP)
- No Suspect DNA Backlog Reduction Program
- Operation Pullover
- PIO DUI Safety
- Project Hoosier Safe-T Grant
- Project Income Grant
- Radar Equipment
- Rising Sun Regional Foundation - District #42
- Rural Access to Emergency Devices Act Grant Program
- Traffic Safety
- Training Grants to Stop Elderly Abuse
- Training Simulator Grant
- Vehicle Crash Records Upgrade

HUMAN RESOURCES DIVISION



*Major
Phillip A. Parker
Commander*

The Superintendent implemented a disability management program. Each participant in the disability program will receive an independent medical examination. The information collected from these examinations will allow the department to better project long term costs and will enhance the department's ability to effectively manage and improve service to all employee beneficiaries.

An evaluation of the Police Promotion System was completed and all new textbooks were selected. The department made available more textbooks to all participants in the process. In addition, the supervision and administration tracks were combined, reducing the number of tests to three. With assistance from the Public Information Office, a new recruiting brochure was developed which includes informational inserts that can be replaced easily when information changes.

Effective July 1st, the Indiana State Police Vision Plan was enhanced to include additional discounts and services. Summer open enrollment for civilian life insurance was completed online. Winter open enrollment included health, vision, dental and police supplemental life insurance.

The Human Resources and the Fiscal Divisions worked jointly to coordinate with the BMV to establish a memorial license plate in support of the Indiana State Police Memorial and Eternal Flame. The memorial license plate is the first and only exclusive state police memorial license plate in the United States, honoring those who made the ultimate sacrifice for the citizens of Indiana.

Seventy-four police vacancies were opened in 2003, with 44 promotions made and 19 reassignments. The 64th Recruit Academy selection process began with written tests completed in December. Seventy-nine civilian vacancies were opened, with 63 new hires and 31 promotions. The first selection process for Government Facilities Unit Officers was completed in February and six officers were hired. Another selection process was completed by the end of the year.

The division also assisted the Laboratory Division in the first phase of its expansion project, which resulted in the hiring of 17 new forensic scientists.

TRAINING DIVISION



*Major
Danny L. East
Commander*

Several division accomplishments reflect movement toward technology-based training. The division continued its progress to reduce costs by working with commanders to identify only essential training. Grant funded training continued to reduce costs.

A significant amount of resources were devoted to the 63rd Recruit Academy. Twenty-three recruits graduated in April. Working with the Information Technology Division, laptop computers and portable printers were issued to recruits at the beginning of the academy. Upon graduation, the probationary officers were assigned the laptop computers as part of their issued equipment. The department was the first state police/highway patrol to issue laptops at the recruit academy level.

The division received a grant in 2002 from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services to purchase 105 Automated External Defibrillators (AED). During 2003, the issuance of these AED's was finalized and a *Use of AED Equipment Report* implemented. These AED's, most of which were issued to road troopers, were also distributed to other agencies. An additional 16 AED's were purchased and distributed to troopers. The department now has a total of 121 AED's in-service.

The department received a federal grant from the Office on Violence Against Women. This grant will be used for the training program, *Stop Abuse and Sexual Assault Against Older Individuals*. The department gathered the support of nonprofit organizations to assist with the training curriculum development and implementation of this program. These organizations include the AARP Indiana, Adult Protective Services, Alzheimer's Association, Breaking Free Inc., Julian Center and TRIAD.

Regional crash reconstruction training continued in June and December, resulting in the training of 132 enforcement personnel. Topics included a review of commercial motor vehicle crashes, the new vehicle crash report, lamp examination and an advanced computer crash drawing package. Other in-service schools included:

- Breath test operator certification and re-certification for 468 personnel.
- Clan lab certification and re-certification schools.
- Instructor Development School for 14 department personnel.
- First Responder re-certification for all enforcement personnel.
- Leadership and performance evaluation training for all department supervisors.
- Legal update training for all enforcement personnel, motor carrier inspectors and government facilities units (GFU).

Incident Command System (ICS) training was conducted for public service and police agencies from within each district. A total of 168 agencies and 264 personnel were trained with the use of scenario based tabletop exercises.

The officer survival tactics focused firearms training was implemented and administered during each of the five firearms shooting phases. Each shooting phase challenged the officer's awareness and assessed their reactions to threats. In addition, the importance of shot accountability was stressed. Individual officer survival tactics were repetitively instructed, monitored and evaluated. As part of the department's firearms program, division personnel coordinated and completed weapons armoring for all enforcement personnel.

Active Shooter training opportunities increased two-fold over the previous year for all district enforcement personnel. In addition, the division worked with an increasing number of local law enforcement agencies to provide them with Active Shooter instructors and role players.

A training program, titled *Counter Terrorism: Interdiction Skills for the Road Officer*, was presented to all enforcement personnel, motor carrier inspectors and government facilities units. This training provided information about detection and apprehension skills to increase awareness of terrorist threats. Additionally, the instruction provided information on the Middle East since recent events in the United States and abroad have indicated increasing interaction between law enforcement and the Middle East. An understanding of the Middle Eastern people's rich heritage is paramount to respecting their beliefs during law enforcement interaction.

The division coordinated 18 physical examinations for GFU applicants and 10 examinations were coordinated for CDL physicals. Additionally, 188 other medical examinations were facilitated. These examinations included return to work, fitness for duty, line of duty and non-line of duty claims, FBI National Academy attendance, specialty teams and psychological testing. Vaccinations were offered, whereby 49 employees received flu shots and 47 received Hepatitis B shots. A department wellness newsletter was also distributed.

Bureau of Criminal Investigation

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION



*Major
Larry C. Turner
Commander*

Staffed with over 250 police and civilian personnel, the division investigates major crimes, conducts specialized investigations and provides investigative support. The division has personnel assigned to each of the 18 districts and headquarters. Personnel also assist local, state and federal agencies on a variety of investigative matters.

Criminal Intelligence Section

The Criminal Intelligence Section (CIS) successfully completed over 4,000 background searches, which included fingerprinting, querying databases, entering information into databases and filing information in conjunction with the National Governor's Association Summer Meeting. Additionally, the section worked in conjunction with other law enforcement agencies to identify protest groups, who were possible security threats. Security teams used the information to stop potential problems.

Officers from the Violent Crimes Unit were actively involved in numerous investigations and provided support and analytical services. In regard to terrorism, the CIS worked with the FBI Joint Terrorist Task Force.

The Crime Analysis Unit is staffed with civilian criminal analysts, who are trained to assist officers and provide a variety of services, which include:

- Officer Safety Bulletins
- Security threat group information
- Extremist group information
- Crime summaries and assessments
- Cold case analyses
- Suspect identification and location
- Financial crimes analyses

- Corporation checks
- INSTEP (schedule II drug inquiries)
- Department of Correction (DOC) inmate and visitor checks
- MAGLOCLEN services

The section conducts all queries for the Violent Crime Apprehension Program (ViCAP) in Indiana. ViCAP is a database for monitoring and analyzing violent crimes, particularly serial killers and child exploiters/molesters. The DOC continues to enter all their sexual murder, molestation and sexual assault cases directly from their files into the Indiana ViCAP Data Center. Additionally, the CIS enters all department murder and child exploitation cases fitting the ViCAP requirements into the system in an attempt to find leads.

The Administrative Support Unit is staffed with a case management system clerical assistant and two intelligence report data input operators. A total of 22,723 new criminal and incident reports and 5,431 intelligence reports were processed.

Drug Enforcement Section

The Drug Enforcement Section (DES) conducts covert investigations into drug trafficking. The section is comprised of the Technical Services, Diversion, Airport Interdiction and Undercover Units. DES detectives are also assigned to federal task forces with the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) in Indianapolis, the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) in Indianapolis and the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) in South Bend. Additionally, several DES detectives are assigned to work with multi-agency drug task forces.

The Technical Services Unit was actively involved in audio/video enhancement and significantly upgraded their capabilities. The unit used various covert audio/video recording equipment as well as Global Positioning Systems and provided support using high tech surveillance vehicles.

Unit detectives and a local drug task force reconfigured equipment previously used in marijuana eradication to assist in the surveillance of anhydrous ammonia thefts. The effort resulted in technology being used to alert law enforcement of anhydrous ammonia thefts.

Diversion detectives were involved in a variety of investigations ranging from obtaining a prescription by fraud to the diversion of drugs by a physician.

In one case, a detective investigated a nurse having several doctors write prescriptions for Hydrocodone and Vicodin in the names of her children. She was subsequently arrested on 13 counts of obtaining a legend drug by fraud. Another detective investigated a physician who was writing prescriptions to nurses and having them fill the prescriptions for money. He would then have them return the prescriptions to him. The license of the physician has been suspended.

The Airport Interdiction Unit is a multi-agency task force comprised of personnel from the state police, DEA, Indianapolis Police Department and U.S. Customs. The task force seized hundreds of pounds of marijuana, cocaine, methamphetamine and khat, as well as nearly \$250,000. The Airport Interdiction Task Force and other DES personnel assisted the DEA with a controlled delivery of 200 pounds of marijuana destined to the Indianapolis area from the southwest border of the United States. The operation resulted in the arrest of two suspects.

DES undercover detectives investigate people who are engaged in the distribution of illegal drugs. Methamphetamine has become the drug posing the largest challenge to law enforcement. The drug is directly and/or indirectly related to a host of other crimes.

Detectives also investigated or assisted in investigations involving other non-drug related crimes including: burglary, bank robbery, child pornography, conspiracy to commit murder, theft and official misconduct.

The DES detective assigned to the ATF Task Force in Indianapolis has been part of investigations resulting in the recovery of two stolen vehicles and three stolen handguns as well as seizure of 77 grams of crack cocaine and 33 grams of

heroin. The detective worked closely with the ATF in Cincinnati to investigate the burglary of a Ohio Highway Patrol car and the theft of a trooper's handgun. He was instrumental in the recovery of the weapon.

DES detectives coordinated several drug raids around the state. A Morgan County raid resulted in the arrest of 35 defendants on drug charges. A Delaware County investigation resulted in the arrest of eight defendants on 22 drug charges.

Special Investigation Section

The Special Investigation Section is comprised of four units: Vehicle Crimes, Crimes Against Children, White Collar Crime and Cyber Crime. The section functions as a central repository for background investigations for prospective government appointed positions and applicants for other law enforcement agencies. The section received 556 requests for regular background investigations, 26 Level III background investigations, 530 Level I background investigations and 60 out-of-state background investigations. The section processed referrals from the Internet Fraud Complaint Center (IFCC), a joint project of the FBI and the National White Collar Crime Center. The IFCC forwarded 154 complaints of Internet theft and fraud to the section.

Vehicle Crimes detectives concentrate on proactive investigations relating to all issues of vehicle theft. Detectives in the unit initiated 88 new cases, recovered 54 stolen vehicles and made 41 criminal arrests. They also recovered 12 pieces of heavy construction equipment.

District personnel and other criminal justice agencies were involved in inspections of salvage yards and used car dealerships. A salvage yard inspection conducted in Indianapolis involved all of the detectives in the unit as well as agents from the National Insurance Crime Bureau and officers from Indianapolis Police Department. Detectives inspected over 600 vehicles during this joint effort.

Crimes Against Children detectives work closely with U.S. Postal Inspectors, U.S. Customs Agents, Internet service providers, photo developers and the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. The unit received 134 referrals

from the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. Photo developers provided information that led to 18 investigations and proactive online investigation referrals numbered 17.

During one investigation, the unit received information on a case that involved the Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force in Salt Lake City, Utah. The information included a compact disc, which contained child pornographic images allegedly transmitted to a suspect in Evansville. Working with the Utah task force, the suspect was charged with child exploitation, possession of child pornography and distribution of child pornography.

The White Collar Crime Unit investigates financial crimes, allegations of political corruption and an increasing number of electronic crimes. During one investigation, detectives looked into allegations of voter fraud in East Chicago, and voter fraud and possible misappropriation of funds in Schererville. The unit also investigated numerous misappropriations of funds referred by the State Board of Accounts.

The Cyber Crime Unit conducts forensic examinations of computer systems for criminal justice agencies. Detectives recovered evidence in criminal cases from homicide to possession of child pornography. The unit received 46 requests for computer examinations. Most of the cases had multiple hard drives and numerous discs to examine. The department and the Grant County Sheriff's Department formed the North Central Indiana Cyber Crime Unit.

NORTH CRIMINAL OPERATIONS



*Captain
Robert J. Rich
Commander*

North Criminal Operations consists of two regional offices, one at Lowell and another in Fort Wayne. The zone encompasses 39 counties, which are divided into seven districts. Within the region are three densely populated areas, Allen, Lake and St. Joseph Counties, which present unique challenges to the division. To address these challenges, partnerships have been formed with

local and federal agencies to combat both violent and white collar crimes.

One such partnership is the Northwest Indiana Gang Task Force (NWIGTF), which consists of agents from the FBI, Lake County, East Chicago, Gary, Hammond and state police. The task force made 23 arrests; had 21 indictments and 28 convictions; and seized drugs, money and handguns.

A similar task force is the Gary Response Investigative Team (GRIT), whose primary function is to locate fugitives. The task force made 26 arrests; had 19 indictments and 31 convictions; and seized drugs, money and handguns.

The Northwest Indiana Public Corruption Task Force (NWIPCTF), which consists of agents from the FBI, IRS and state police, operates in Lake and Porter Counties. Crimes committed by public officials are investigated and prosecuted in both federal and state venues. One such investigation led to a 17 count federal indictment of a Michigan City police officer. In December, the officer pled guilty to four charges and was sentenced to 115 months in federal prison.

Region I

Region I is comprised of the Lafayette, Lowell and Peru Districts and encompasses 21 counties in northwestern Indiana.

Lowell detectives investigated an individual who made threats and tried to intimidate a state representative during the legislative session. The suspect left a threatening message on the representative's office answering machine. Using 24-hour surveillance and providing protection for the representative, detectives identified the caller, who was charged with intimidation. Lowell detectives also investigated a local police department on an allegation of battery by their officers after a high-speed chase and traffic crash. The actual victim was a passenger, who was dragged from a vehicle and beaten by the police, who thought the victim was the driver. Upon submitting evidence to a Lake County Grand Jury, they indicted two officers on charges of battery.

Peru detectives apprehended a suspect trying to steal anhydrous ammonia leading to the issuance of five search warrants in the Peru area. The search resulted in the discovery of five methamphetamine labs and the arrest of eight individuals

on numerous charges. Detectives recovered approximately \$30,000 in computer equipment and power tools, which had been stolen from Wal-Mart and Meijer stores in Kokomo.

Lafayette detectives investigated a case involving embezzlement from a Frankfort trucking company. After a review of bank records and asset gains by the suspect, it was determined the perpetrator had taken nearly \$1.4 million dollars from the trucking company over a seven-year period. Charges were brought against the suspect, a former employee of the trucking company.

Lafayette detectives were also involved in 12 death investigations. One Warren County case involved a suspect killing his girlfriend. The suspect was arrested and is now awaiting trial. Lafayette detectives also obtained a confession to two murders that occurred in 1973. Detectives went to the Rockville Correctional Facility to interview a female suspect. Upon interviewing the suspect, she admitted suffocating her six-month-old son and burning down the house to conceal the crime. She also told detectives that approximately four months later, she suffocated her two-year-old son. Detectives previously investigated the suspect for these crimes; however, the case was dismissed. Murder charges are pending.

Region II

Region II is comprised of Bremen, Fort Wayne, Redkey and Toll Road Districts and encompasses 18 counties in north central and northeast Indiana.

Fort Wayne detectives solved three homicide cases with one each in DeKalb, LaGrange and Noble Counties. Two were cleared by arrest and one was a murder/suicide.

Two Fort Wayne detectives are assigned to the multi-agency Federal Bank Robbery Task Force. This task force identified and arrested seven suspects and investigated 22 armed robberies in northeast Indiana.

Detectives from Bremen and the Toll Road investigated a homicide involving the disappearance of an antique dealer. The victim was found six months after his disappearance in a crawl space under a home in Lakeville. Investigators tracked and located the victim's stolen antiques,

which had been sold to antique dealers in Michigan and pawnshops in Indiana. The victim's delivery truck was also stolen and re-titled to another company in South Bend. A suspect was identified and interviewed and the department is awaiting DNA results from the suspect and crime scene.

Detectives worked a multi-agency homicide investigation in Marshall County, revealing a love triangle, which resulted in the premeditated murder of a male. A key to the success of the investigation was when detectives traced the murder weapon to a burglary in South Bend, located and re-interviewed the two suspects, who confessed to the burglary. Those suspects then advised the detectives about the person who purchased the murder weapon. This case received national attention on *America's Most Wanted*, which helped in locating one suspect in Louisiana. Detectives transported the suspect back to Indiana. Two individuals have been charged with homicide.

Detectives investigated an arson, which resulted in the deaths of two grocery store owners. The two Palestinian owners had purchased the store in Mentone two years earlier. They had over insured the store and were in the process of setting the store on fire with gasoline when they blew themselves up. Further investigation revealed they were members of a group funneling money back to the West Bank. Working with the ATF, detectives found the owners could be linked to a larger ring committing the same type of crime. One of the members had an association with the terrorists, who attacked the World Trade Center.

Redkey detectives investigated several public officials in Blackford, Delaware, Grant, Howard and Randolph Counties. Detectives arrested a county councilman on felony trespass and misdemeanor battery charges following a road rage incident with a school bus driver. Detectives also arrested a city firefighter and his wife on child molesting charges following an investigation into allegations they molested the firefighter's two teenage stepdaughters.

SOUTH CRIMINAL OPERATIONS



*Captain
C. Dale Mulliken
Commander*

South Criminal Operations serves 53 counties and is divided into three investigative regions, which are further divided into 11 districts. The area includes metropolitan areas such as Evansville, Indianapolis, Richmond and Terre Haute as well as rural areas throughout southern Indiana. Detectives in South Criminal Operations investigated 138 deaths. Meth labs were again a problem in southern Indiana and central and southeastern Indiana experienced a dramatic increase in clandestine laboratories.

Region III

Region III is comprised of Bloomington, Evansville, Jasper and Terre Haute Districts and encompasses 23 counties.

Methamphetamine labs once again proved problematic in the area. Detectives aided in investigating and dismantling many of the methamphetamine laboratories found in the region. Personnel destroyed 1,260 methamphetamine laboratories in the state and 56 percent of them were found in Region III.

Detectives from the department, Indiana Excise Police, Indiana Department of Revenue (IDOR) and the Petersburg Police Department conducted an investigation in Pike County into professional gambling. Electronic gambling machines were confiscated and the owner of the operation was charged with 23 counts including money laundering, corrupt business influence and promotion of professional gambling.

Evansville detectives worked two bank robberies in Gibson County. When the bank in Cynthiana was robbed, an employee got the description of the suspect vehicle. A trooper spotted the vehicle and detectives and troopers arrested the suspect for bank robbery.

Evansville detectives worked a bank robbery at the Fifth Third Bank in Princeton. Detectives assisted by the Princeton Police and the Gibson County Sheriff's Department identified a suspect

vehicle. With this information, detectives located the owner of the vehicle who admitted driving the suspect to the bank. The driver identified the suspect, who was later arrested for the bank robbery.

Detectives successfully closed a 1975 cold cases murder, where a female was raped and stabbed. In 2002, a Knox County Circuit Court Grand Jury issued indictments for two suspects in this case. One defendant pled guilty and was sentenced to 15 years for her part in the murder and agreed to testify against her ex-husband. A jury later found the ex-husband guilty, sentencing him to 40 years.

A suspect was indicted by a Knox County Grand Jury in 2002 for a 1995 murder and this year pled guilty. He was sentenced to 60 years in prison.

Evansville detectives worked a triple homicide in Gibson County, where they found a couple shot to death in their Owensville home. Later detectives learned the third deceased person shot the two victims before killing himself.

After stopping a car with a stolen plate, a trooper found a note from a bank robbery. During an interview, the suspect admitted robbing over 50 banks in a five state area. The FBI was contacted and federal charges were filed against the suspect, who was extradited to Cincinnati, Ohio.

Terre Haute detectives arrested a Wabash Valley correctional officer for trafficking with an inmate after he brought tobacco into the prison in exchange for money. Detectives also arrested a correctional officer at the Rockville Correctional Facility after receiving complaints that the officer was improperly touching female inmates.

While working an attempted murder case, Jasper detectives received a tip indicating a body might be found on property near Odon. Using a backhoe, detectives found a large piece of plastic in the shape of a body approximately nine feet down. An autopsy revealed the victim was shot three times. The investigation established the victim was killed in Kentucky. Kentucky State Police and the DEA were able to obtain enough probable cause to get a search warrant for the property where the homicide took place. The search warrant uncovered enough evidence to arrest six suspects for running a multi-state marijuana operation and over \$2 million worth of assets were seized.

Detectives received information from Kosair Children's Hospital in Louisville, Kentucky about an infant who died in their care. Hospital personnel were concerned about the information given to them by the child's parents. The investigation revealed the infant's father had trouble controlling his anger when the baby would cry. The suspect was charged with battery causing death.

Bloomington detectives worked 20 death investigations including six homicides. Detectives were sent to a Greene County residence after the family found a victim shot twice in the head. The perpetrators worked diligently to hide and destroy evidence as well as fabricate evidence to throw detectives off track. After hours of investigation, two of the victim's family members and an accomplice were arrested for the murder. All three have pled guilty.

Region IV

Region IV is comprised of Connersville, Sellersburg, Seymour and Versailles Districts and encompasses 20 counties. Due to the rural nature of the region, detectives are called upon by local and county agencies for assistance. Methamphetamine producing clandestine laboratories were again a problem. Region personnel located 197 methamphetamine laboratories. The previous year only 86 laboratories were found in the region, an increase of 129 percent.

Connersville detectives investigated an attempted murder after a woman came home to find her residence being burglarized. She was attacked and beaten with a hammer. The suspects then poured acidic bowl cleaner on her and into her mouth. The victim miraculously survived and the suspects were arrested. While in jail, the female suspect attempted to hire a hit man to finish the job of killing the intended victim. An undercover detective, posing as a hit man, negotiated with the suspect the terms for killing the victim. The defendant is now in jail without bond, awaiting trial on attempted murder and conspiracy to commit murder charges.

Detectives from Sellersburg investigated the death of an adult male found in a ditch on a county road in southern Washington County. The victim had no identification and his pickup truck was located near the scene. Further investigation revealed another sub-

ject had been with the victim and had run over him with his truck. The suspect then put the victim in a ditch leaving him for dead. Detectives arrested the suspect for reckless homicide and leaving the scene of a fatal accident. The suspect was convicted in December and sentenced to six years.

Sellersburg detectives investigated the attempted murder of a New Albany police officer. The officer investigated a disorderly conduct complaint at a gas station after a suspect caused property damage at the store and threatened employees. The suspect left the scene on foot before police arrived, but was located hiding in an alley near the scene. After confronting the suspect, the officer was stabbed with a large knife. The officer and another New Albany police officer shot and killed the suspect. After the Floyd County Prosecutor reviewed the detective's investigation, no further criminal action was warranted.

Sellersburg detectives assisted in the arrest of two southern Indiana men in connection with a number of bank robberies occurring in different jurisdictions in the district. Four bank robberies occurred in December with the same method of operation and suspect description given at each crime. Detectives assisted the other investigating agencies with the arrests and recovered evidence instrumental in solving these bank robberies.

Detectives concluded a lengthy murder investigation, which resulted in the conviction of a New Albany man. The victim was found in his home bound with duct tape and dead from a gunshot wound to the head. Two suspects were arrested and charged. One suspect pled guilty and cooperated with law enforcement and the other suspect went to trial. This suspect was convicted of conspiracy to commit murder and was sentenced to 55 years. Both suspects had connections with the Outlaw Motorcycle Gang of Louisville, Kentucky.

Detectives from Seymour arrested a deputy sheriff on charges of official misconduct. The investigation revealed the deputy had planted evidence on the personal property of an acquaintance and had caused a criminal investigation to be initiated on the acquaintance as a result of his actions.

Versailles detectives investigated a child molesting case, where a mother was prostituting her nine year-old daughter to a 60 year-old male. The investigation ultimately resulted in four defendants being charged,

including the child's mother. All defendants pled guilty and the main suspect received a sentence in excess of 100 years.

Detectives investigated the selling of unregistered securities in Ripley County. The allegations stemmed from complaints about offshore investments being sold. The year-long investigation revealed an investment scheme that resulted in losses exceeding \$9 million. More than 250 felony charges have been filed on three suspects.

Versailles detectives responded to a truck stop on Interstate 74 in Decatur County after a man told the manager to call the police. The man was quickly identified as the suspect in a workplace shooting that occurred earlier in the day in West Chester, Ohio. The suspect had shot five employees, killing two. Detectives assisted Ohio police in securing evidence and interviewing the suspect. The suspect is awaiting trial for murder.

Detectives investigated the attempted murder of an Aurora police officer. The officer attempted to stop a stolen vehicle operated by a man wanted for questioning in a recent Indianapolis murder. The suspect fled and during the pursuit fired several shots at the officer striking him once. The suspect was apprehended and is being held for attempted murder of a police officer.

Region V

Region V is comprised of Indianapolis, Pendleton and Putnamville Districts.

Pendleton detectives investigated a bribery case at the Pendleton Correctional Facility, where a correctional officer was receiving money orders from inmates for smuggling contraband into the facility. The investigation resulted in bribery charges being filed against the correctional officer.

A joint investigation was conducted with the Hamilton and Hancock County Sheriff's Departments into thefts of all terrain vehicles. The investigation resulted in multiple felony charges filed against four suspects. Seventy stolen ATVs, several industrial lawn mowers, a bobcat front-end loader and three trucks were recovered.

Detectives conducted a joint death investigation with the Elwood Police Department and the Office of the State Fire Marshal in which an eight year-old's body was found in a house fire. The autopsy

determined the child was dead before the fire. The child was under the supervision of Child Protective Services. The mother of the child and a CPS worker were both charged with felony neglect causing serious bodily injury.

At the request of the Madison County prosecutor, detectives conducted a voter fraud investigation in Anderson, where voters who lived outside city limits were recruited to vote using a city address. Eleven felony charges have been filed and more charges are pending.

In July, Indianapolis district detectives investigated a fire involving a box truck transporting 13 painters and loaded with paint and other flammable liquids. A cigarette lighter ignited the fluids, causing an immediate fire and explosion. All 13 painters were severely burned and two died. The Marion County Prosecutor's Office is reviewing the case.

Detectives assisted the Central Indiana Financial Crimes Task Force in conducting a proactive enforcement operation at two Bureau of Motor Vehicle branches. The goal was to identify and apprehend customers attempting to obtain Indiana identification cards and driver's licenses using fraudulent documents. In November, seven arrests were made. Among those arrested was a Chinese National who was part of a national identification theft ring operating in Chicago, Indiana and New York. A search of her Greenwood home netted fraudulent documents, credit cards and nearly \$15,000. In December, another eight arrests were made.

In March, skeletal remains were found by a hunter in Morgan County. The Morgan County Death Investigation Team was activated, led by detectives from the Putnamville District. Dental records matched those of a missing Bloomington woman. Pathologists determined she had been the victim of a homicide. An investigation ensued involving the FBI and surrounding law enforcement agencies. Over 200 witnesses and possible suspects were interviewed. DNA, major case prints and hair samples were taken from potential suspects. Detectives collected over 5,000 pages of reports, documents, photos and maps.

The Morgan County Sheriff's Department asked for assistance with the investigation into the

abduction of a six-year-old boy. Within 24 hours the suspect had confessed to the detectives. He said that he took the child from his grandmother's yard and took him to a remote area, molesting him twice. He then held the boy's head under water in a nearby stream, attempting to drown the child. The child struggled and escaped temporarily. The suspect regained control of the child and dropped him off near his grandparents' house. The perpetrator pled guilty to child molesting and received 40 years.

On July 14, 2001, a man shot and killed Morgan County Sheriff's Deputy Daniel Starnes after the deputy initiated a traffic stop. After an emotional and intense investigation by Putnamville detectives and the Morgan County Death Investigation Team, the suspect was charged and jailed. The trial was moved to Dearborn County and the death penalty was sought. After a month long trial, the jury rendered a sentence of death in 2003.

In January, Putnamville detectives conducted an aggravated battery investigation at the Plainfield Juvenile Correctional Facility. The investigation revealed a prison guard had used excessive physical force to restrain an 18 year-old inmate. This action caused permanent injury to the inmate, leaving him permanently paralyzed from the neck down. During the course of this investigation, detectives discovered the guard had a history of violence toward inmates. The investigation led to the arrest of the prison guard for one count of aggravated battery, 10 counts of neglect of a dependent and nine counts of criminal recklessness.

Detectives at Putnamville received several complaints about the Plainfield Interstate 70 rest parks. Both the east and westbound rest parks experienced problems of public indecency and voyeurism in the men's restrooms. In response to complaints, personnel conducted an undercover operation to catch the offenders. *Operation Clean Sweep* led to the arrest of 23 persons for charges ranging from public indecency/voyeurism to possession of dangerous drugs.

GAMING ENFORCEMENT DIVISION



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The Gaming Enforcement Division consists of detectives and support personnel who serve as the investigative and enforcement arm of the Indiana Gaming Commission. Its primary task is to protect the integrity of the gaming industry within the state. The division consists of two sections, the Background Investigative Unit and the Riverboat Investigative Unit (RIU).

Background Investigative Unit

The Background Investigative Unit consists of 11 enforcement personnel and two secretaries. The primary function of the section is to conduct detailed investigations of the riverboat owners, key management personnel as well as the executive staff of each casino. Additionally, they conduct background investigations on manufacturing companies, which supply gaming products, and their key personnel. These investigators work closely with the detectives on the riverboats in comprehensive investigations, which extends over prolonged periods of times.

Riverboat Investigation Unit

The Riverboat Investigative Unit consists of two first sergeants, nine sergeants, 82 detectives and two secretaries. Personnel investigate violations of state law and Indiana Gaming Commission rules. Most riverboat casinos have eight detectives and a squad sergeant.

The RIU-South consists of five riverboat casinos located in Belterra, Elizabeth, Evansville, Lawrenceburg and Rising Sun. The RIU-North consists of five casinos operating in East Chicago, Gary, Hammond and Michigan City.

Detectives assigned to the RIU investigate cases ranging from theft and credit card fraud to child abandonment and counterfeiting. Detectives have become efficient at investigating detailed white-collar type crimes. Detectives have identified patterns of organized criminal activity between several of the casinos in Indiana.

LABORATORY DIVISION



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The Laboratory Division serves all Indiana law enforcement agencies and provides crime scene services through laboratory field technicians stationed at each district.

All four laboratories are accredited by the American Society of Crime Laboratory Directors/Laboratory Accreditation Board (ASCLD/LAB), demonstrating that laboratory management, operations, personnel, procedures, equipment, physical plant, security and health and safety procedures meet established standards. District field technicians complete in-depth internship training and routine in-service training pertaining to the identification, collection and preservation of physical evidence.

Employees conducted over 400 polygraph examinations and printed over 139,650 photographs. Latent fingerprint cases totaled 593. Forensic scientists testified on 303 occasions. Field technicians processed over 1,600 crime scenes and spent over 882 hours presenting testimony. Approximately 80 percent of analytical services and 50 percent of field services provided were in support of non-state police agency investigations.

Personnel dismantled 1,011 clandestine laboratories this year compared to 732 in 2002. These investigations led to the arrest of 1,048 individuals as compared to 656 in 2002. More than 210 children were removed from homes during these investigations as compared to 162 in 2002.

The increasing expectation for quality assurance in forensic science is the driving force behind the *Technician Quality Assurance Program* and the *Integrated Law Enforcement Technician Crime Scene School*. Since the beginning of the program, personnel have trained 106 investigators from state and local agencies.

The most innovative program in the laboratory involves the development of databases. These databases often provide leads in criminal cases where no suspect has been identified. These include the following:

- **CONVICTED OFFENDER DNA DATABASE (CODIS)** is populated by DNA profiles of nearly 33,000 offenders. It provides the means to link unsolved serial offenses and identify previously convicted offenders that resume the commission of violent crimes after their release from incarceration. The division aided 123 investigations through CODIS hits.
- **INTEGRATED BALLISTICS IMAGING SYSTEM (IBIS)** compares microscopic digital images of marks placed on bullets and fired cartridge casings. These marks may be compared, leading to the identification of the firearm used in a crime. Bullets and cases recovered from unsolved crimes and firearms seized due to illegal activity are compared to one another to establish that they were fired in a common weapon. The division had 30 IBIS hits.
- **AUTOMATED FINGERPRINT IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM (AFIS)** compares fingerprints recovered from crime scenes to a database of previously arrested offenders. As with CODIS, this system provides the means to link serial crimes, such as burglary, and identify previously convicted offenders.

The FBI has established a national communication network of crime laboratories. The department connects to this network at the Indianapolis and Lowell Regional Laboratories and this provides the ability for interstate searching of the databases described above.

House Bill 1001 allocated monies to reduce the backlog of cases on four fronts: hiring new forensic scientists, adding additional laboratory space, purchasing new equipment and outsourcing selected DNA cases.

During 2003, 17 new forensic scientists were hired, part of a plan to hire an additional 55. Many police positions will be civilianized as the laboratory is reorganized. Equipment has been ordered to improve our DNA, Drug and Microanalysis Units. Outsourcing DNA cases to a private ASCLD accredited laboratory has proved effective as the number of CODIS hits continue to increase. The State Office Building Commission has consolidated the new laboratory building effort in Indianapolis to include the Indiana State Police, Indiana State Board of Health and the State Department of Toxicology set to open in 2006.

Bureau of Support Services

COMMUNICATIONS DIVISION



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The division is responsible for the design, specification and repair of communications equipment including fixed, mobile and portable radios, microwave radios, towers, cellular telephones, traditional telephones, pagers, sirens, vas-cars, radars, faxes and telephone credit cards. Manpower shortages have forced some reduction in services. Some of the vacant positions were opened in late 2003 and the division hopes to return to the former level of service once the new technicians are trained.

The division also coordinates training for all telecommunications operators and monitors the statewide mobile maintenance contract. The department has 53 microwave towers. Besides the obvious communication capabilities, this microwave and radio system carries IDACS/NCIC; the department's wide area network; LIMS; provides statewide communication for the FBI at many sites; and houses the National Weather Service radios.

Each of the sites has an emergency generator that must be maintained. For the most part, this is an aging system requiring constant maintenance and repair. Division personnel have performed above and beyond the call of duty in repairing and maintaining the sites. Seeing that maintenance contracts are written, negotiated and monitored is a major task. Division engineers, supervisors and field technicians are in demand by federal, local and other state agencies to act as consultants and advisors in public safety communication projects and issues. Radio shop technicians program radios

for the entire department. Programming has become one of the division's primary and most time consuming responsibilities.

Special projects continue to take up a large portion of division resources. These projects consist of setting up mobile command posts with communication capabilities for events such as the Indianapolis 500, the National Drags and the Indiana State Fair. Special projects may also entail programming a large number of radios for specific uses.

The biggest task of the division has been to keep what communication equipment the department has operational while assisting the Project Hoosier SAFE-T (Safety Acting for Everyone Together) team on the design and build out of the statewide voice and data communication system. The existing infrastructure must be maintained because much of Project Hoosier SAFE-T will be built using existing towers.

During the past year, division personnel assisted Project Hoosier SAFE-T in bringing nearly all of the department owned sites in central and northern Indiana onto the system. New dispatch consoles have been installed in most districts in northern and central Indiana.

Division personnel set up and staffed the communications center during the National Governor's Association Summer Meeting. The center, located in the State Emergency Management Agency's Emergency Operations Center (EOC), houses an analog 800-megahertz radio system. However, innovations implemented during the conference will allow future digital 800- megahertz from the EOC to anywhere in the state once the digital system is operational.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DIVISION



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The division's Systems and Programming Section brought the IDACS/NCIC 2000 Project online in May. Districts assisted the section in identifying issues and troubleshooting problems with the system in an effort to provide Indiana Data and Communication System (IDACS) users with a clean production application.

From June through December, the Systems and Programming Section, IDACS Coordinators, Data Operations Center personnel and IDACS Trainers assisted IDACS users with network connectivity solutions, hardware configurations and training on the IDACS application.

Over 300 agencies converted from the Legacy Synchronous Data Link Control Network to the new system. This involved coordination with the Intelnet Commission and their network management group, Indiana Higher Education Telecommunication System (IHETS), for the survey, installation and activation of new lines and equipment to each of the agencies coming onto the new system.

The IDACS Section and the Systems and Programming Section coordinated the conversion and migration of the NCIC 2000 Project. The success of this project was a result of the coordinated efforts of the IDACS Section and the Data Operations Center.

The IDACS community of users consists of over 350 authorized agencies with a combined total of more than 3,000 certified operators. The trainers conducted 270 training sessions.

The Computer Support Section (CSS) assisted in coordinating and loading software for the new electronic version of the Indiana Standard Crash Report on all mobile data terminals (MDTs). In addition to supporting all department networks IPSC and Counter Terrorism and Security Council (C-TASC), the CSS has standardized many com-

ponents within the agency, helping to address IT concerns in an effective manner. With the frequent global attacks through the Internet effecting hundreds of major networks, a more proactive approach on data security was proposed by CSS. As a result, the prevention and detection of virus attacks on department systems and networks was enhanced.

The Indiana Missing Children Clearinghouse (IMCC) continues its effort to assist law enforcement in the recovery of missing children. To assist in ensuring accurate missing children information in IDACS/NCIC, the IMCC mailed validation letters to all law enforcement agencies having children listed as missing. This resulted in a more accurate account of missing children statistics. Various responsibilities that are coordinated by IMCC included: migrating missing children data to the NCIC 2000 system; conducting missing children presentations and panel discussions; updating the Indiana Missing Children website; and publishing the Indiana Missing Children Quarterly. A relatively new responsibility of the IMCC staff includes assisting in the activation of Indiana Amber Alerts. Since establishing the Amber Alert program in Indiana, 19 alert activation requests have been made, not all meeting the criteria, but those that have, resulted in eight children being located and returned.

The following statistics reflect the extent of the missing children problem with the state:

	2002	2003
Total missing children reports taken:	11,842	9,598
Total number of cases closed by year end:	11, 163	9,076

LOGISTICS DIVISION



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The division's mission is to provide the services of procurement, disposal, maintenance, repair, distribution and inventory control of department facilities, equipment, supplies and services. This mission is accomplished through the efforts of the following sections.

Automotive Section

A fleet of over 1,800 vehicles is readied and maintained by seven mechanics, seven installers and three supervisors. Of the 1,800 vehicles approximately 600 had mileage in excess of 100,000 miles and 300 were refurbished.

The section also:

- Equipped 346 new vehicles and issued 309.
- Licensed 700 vehicles with confidential plates and registrations through the BMV.
- Installed mobile digital 800-megahertz radio systems in patrol vehicles in central Indiana.

Engineering Section

The primary responsibility of the section is preventive maintenance. The section maintains 91 buildings throughout the state with nine maintenance repairpersons and three supervisors. In addition to routine maintenance, personnel performed an assortment of tasks. These tasks ranged from constructing storage buildings and wood-working to snow removal and groundskeeping.

Personnel also:

- Remodeled four radio rooms to accommodate the digital 800-megahertz radio system at Lafayette, Pendleton, Putnamville and Terre Haute.
- Constructed two sheds at Bloomington for evidence and general storage purposes.
- Coordinated the installation of a heating and cooling unit at the Radio Shop and a unit at the garage.

- Coordinated the construction of a DNA Laboratory at Fort Wayne.
- Coordinated the construction of a building to house microwave equipment.
- Assisted contractors with the construction of the INDOT Traffic Management/Indianapolis facility.
- Coordinated the installation of new fire alarm systems at Evansville and Sellersburg Districts.
- Refurbished the boiler at Lowell District.
- Maintained the ISP Memorial and Eternal Flame.

Fleet Management Section

The Support Asset Management System (SAMS) is used to provide support for all sections in the division. This system traces all equipment, supplies and assets from acquisition to disposal. Fleet Management provides data management for the system and support for all users accessing the system.

Additionally, staff:

- Completed and distributed training manuals to all SAMS users.
- Maintained a fuel audit procedure.
- Processed payment of all invoices for the Ford Quality Care Fleet program.

Print Shop

The majority of all department printing is accomplished by two employees assigned to the Print Shop. Some significant accomplishments of the Print Shop:

- Completed all printing requests in a timely manner.
- Printed the National Governor's Association security booklet and the after-action report.
- Printed the participant copy of the Crash Report forms for all agencies in the state.

Procurement/Inventory Section

The Procurement/Inventory Section is comprised of Purchasing and Quartermaster. The primary responsibility of Purchasing is the acquisition of all goods and services needed by the department. Specific duties:

- Wrote specifications.
- Solicited, evaluated and recommended bids.
- Authorized payment when goods or services have been received.

The four purchasers, accomplished the following:

- Purchased clothing and equipment for the Government Facilities Unit.
- Purchased new fax machines for each district.
- Purchased new computers for the division.
- Received a 100 percent compliance rating from Indiana Department of Administration.

RECORDS DIVISION



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The Records Division is responsible for collecting, maintaining and disseminating criminal history data on adults and juveniles charged with a felony or Class A misdemeanor. The Central Records Section processed 529,258 criminal history requests. Updating arrest records with final dispositions has been the primary focus of the division and the Indiana Criminal Justice Institute. The progress becomes clear when comparing the number of arrest records updated with final dispositions in prior years:

2000 - 15,723
2001 - 51,792
2002 - 107,378
2003 - 150,782

Employees in the Central Repository eliminated the backlog of ink-rolled arrest cards, which numbered nearly 7,000 a year ago.

The division carries out provisions of the Title 1935 Firearms Act as it relates to handgun sales, dealer licensing and handgun permits. The Firearms Section processed over 90,000 applications for a license to carry a handgun and held

over 1,000 hearings revoking 1,047 licenses.

The statewide Automated Fingerprint Identification System (AFIS) upgrade has increased the number of agencies submitting electronic fingerprints. Latent fingerprint examiners made 271 latent hits on prints submitted for examination. The division continues to submit fingerprints to the FBI electronically by AFIS.

The department improved the electronic interface with the Indiana Prosecuting Attorney's ProsLink system. The interface allows disposition information to be electronically transmitted from a majority of county prosecutors to the Criminal History Records Information System (CHRIS).

The CHRIS-ProsLink interface, which exchanges department booking data with prosecutor case and disposition data, was migrated from a batch to a real-time interface. In counties where bookings are made by a Livescan device, the prosecutor can receive the booking file within minutes of the time the offender is booked.

The Vehicle Crash Section processes all traffic crash reports in the state. In January, the Vehicle Crash Records System (VCRS) went into operation. This system streamlined the processing of all crash reports. Since VCRS, the division has processed all reports within 24 hours, allowing real time information to be available.

The department provided a new crash report form to all law enforcement agencies, which is easier to complete. The division has also installed a new electronic crash-report program that allows agencies to complete the report and send it electronically to Central Records. This program saves division staff many processing hours and gives law enforcement agencies the ability to use the Central Repository as their own records management system. The department, BMV and INDOT jointly supported this \$2.3 million dollar project funded with federal money.

Case Management & Reporting	2000	2001	2002	2003
Bias Crimes				
Reporting Agencies	62	162	97	75
Non-Reporting Agencies	548	458	529	559
Incident Reports	38	55	73	42
Casework				
Case Reports	19,862	22,492	21,587	22,173
Supplemental Reports	46,520	315,250	217,818	186,195
Laboratory Examinations Received	786	392	98	26

Criminal History	2000	2001	2002	2003
Name-Based Criminal History Requests				
Law Enforcement (IDACS automated)	492,949	407,249	418,285	165,504
Limited Criminal Histories (In-house)	245,418	237,153	270,862	151,383
Limited Criminal Histories (Access Indiana)	0	27,971	41,609	212,371
Total Name-Based Checks	738,367	672,373	730,756	529,258
Fingerprint-Based Criminal History Requests				
Review Challenges (Indiana only)	24,659	22,223	18,067	14,533
Law Enforcement Applicants (Indiana & FBI)	21,831	29,444	21,718	9,079
Non-Law Enforcement Applicants (Indiana & FBI)	0	0	3,841	7,081
Non-Law Enforcement Individuals (Indiana & FBI)	0	0	1,402	3,010
Total Fingerprint-Based Checks	46,490	51,667	45,028	33,703
Arrest Record Entry				
Ink Fingerprint Cards	85,679	57,923	54,272	55,471
Livescan Fingerprint Cards	17,515	65,141	99,068	137,283
Total Arrest Records Entered into CHRIS	103,194	123,064	153,340	192,754
Disposition Update				
Arrest Records Updated with Final Dispositions	15,723	51,792	107,378	150,782
Disposition Cases Unmatched to Fingerprint Cards	889	59,700	150,850	71,370
Total Disposition Cases Received	16,612	111,492	258,228	222,152
AFIS Statistics				
Ten Print Database	800,000	998,068	986,325	1,058,818
Ten Print Hits	36,000	69,770	61,370	101,455
Exams Received	351	387	759	773
Latent Hits	42	31	299	271

Firearms	2000	2001	2002	2003
Handgun Licenses				
Issued	75,545	80,063	82,814	75,518
Denied	0	0	1,772	1,522
Returned for Correction	0	0	5,377	4,429
Suspended	0	0	181	37
Revoked (Suspended/Revoked combined 1998-2001)	921	999	725	1,047
Dealer Licenses				
Issued	568	533	568	488
Denied	0	0	0	0
Returned for Correction	0	0	5	11
Instant Checks (NICS)				
Approvals	18,503	19,013	16,514	15,768
Denials	309	357	294	157
Denials Overturned	35	26	27	23
Three Day Defaults	678	850	781	749
Firearms Hearings				
Hearings	51	61	66	74
Individuals	535	759	847	1,369

Bureau of Field Operations

COMMERCIAL VEHICLE ENFORCEMENT DIVISION



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The Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division's (CVED) mission is to increase highway safety, reduce the total number of commercial motor vehicle (CMV) crashes and gain CMV compliance on Indiana's highways by enforcing all state truck and bus laws, federal motor carrier safety regulations and hazardous materials regulations on interstate and intrastate commercial motor vehicles.

Personnel conduct safety inspections on equipment, drivers and carriers. A variety of enforcement programs are utilized to accomplish its goals. The state's partnership with the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) continues with participation in the Motor Carrier Safety Assistance Program (MCSAP).

During the year, MCSAP certified troopers and Motor Carrier Inspectors (MCIs) completed 59,664 CMV inspections, identifying 170,820 violations including 24,513 out-of-service violations. Personnel also conducted inspections at 16 third party testing sites. Third party testing sites are locations where new drivers are trained to operate CMVs.

CVED trained 31 MCIs and Motor Carrier Enforcement Officers (MCEOs) to conduct New Entrant Safety Audits. The new entrant program is directed toward new Indiana based interstate carriers.

The department became the 19th to join the National Highway Watch Program. Personnel

trained over 300 truck drivers in this program. The program helps educate drivers on how they can assist law enforcement when criminal activity or homeland security issues arise.

MCIs focus on non-moving violations, while police personnel concentrate on CMV drivers who commit moving violations. Additionally, about 90 non-division troopers are certified to complete CMV safety inspections. Division personnel provide an enforcement deterrent for voluntary compliance with Indiana's credentialing requirements. Personnel also enforce CMV size and weight to ensure compliance with Indiana law.

The division opened a new Port of Entry Inspection Facility at Terre Haute. At this facility, testing was completed on the Performance Based Brake Testing Machine for the Commercial Vehicle Safety Administration and FMCSA to establish national out-of-service standards for defective brakes.

The Motor Coach Team inspected 109 motor coaches resulting in 31 being placed out-of-service and 250 violations.

School bus inspections continue to be a high priority. Personnel conducted 23,885 school bus inspections, which included the annual fall inspection, spot checks and 12-year or older school buses as required by Indiana law. Additionally, the records of all school corporations were reviewed to ensure compliance with the alcohol and drug testing for CDL drivers.

CVED and district personnel dedicated almost 7,000 hours to escort 309 large vehicle combinations, called Superloads, logging 232,810 miles. The IDOR Motor Carrier Services Division works closely with escort personnel by issuing oversize permits and identifying proper routing for oversize loads.

FIELD ENFORCEMENT DIVISION



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The division performs staff functions for the deputy superintendent for the Bureau of Field Operations. Comprised of three sections, Aviation, Field Operations and Special Enforcement, a variety of activities occur within this division.

Aviation Section

The Aviation Section provides traffic enforcement assistance, fugitive and victim search and rescue, criminal surveillance, aerial photographic services, airborne command and control functions and disaster assessment and assistance.

The section recorded over 2,620 hours of flight time. Missions flown included: missions involving the department's Forward Looking Infrared cameras (FLIR), 21 hours; searches, 121 hours, including 26 persons found; 29 surveillance details; 88 video/photography details; and six disaster details. Additionally, department pilots flew 709 hours for transportation and 993 hours for marijuana eradication. Lastly, 79 hours of traffic enforcement details resulted in 537 citations and 166 written warnings.

Field Operations Section

The Field Operations Section consists of grant management, special enforcement project management, INDOT worksite patrols, Problem Oriented Policing (POP) administration, 24-hour Operations Center, numerous special details and the department's highway drug interdiction effort.

Officers working off-duty on federally funded grant projects and highway construction zones produced 63,585 traffic arrests, 856 driving under the influence arrests, 45,544 written warnings, 6,542 truck arrests and 1,858 criminal arrests, of which 430 were for felony violations. A total of

19,317 seat belt and 526 child restraint citations were written.

The Operations Center functions 24 hours a day, seven days a week and consists of one sworn officer and seven clerical staff. The center's duties are to act as liaison between the field and general headquarters, disseminating information to the public and department commanders. Other state agencies requiring 24-hour telephone response use the center for fielding after-hours calls.

The center is the contact for police agencies nationwide to request BMV's digitized drivers' photographs. The center processed 12,740 request for images.

The center also assists the Records Division in processing background checks through NICS on individuals purchasing handguns. Approximately 600 checks per month are handled through the center.

The division coordinates training and equipment needs for the specialty teams. These teams consist of Explosive Ordnance Disposal Teams (EOD), Emergency Response Teams (ERT), Hostage Crisis Negotiations Teams (HCN) and Underwater Search and Rescue Teams (USRT). The following is a breakdown of the number of operations conducted:

Explosive Ordnance Disposal Teams	115
Emergency Response Teams	71
Hostage Crisis Negotiations Teams	12
Underwater Search and Rescue Teams	54

Special Enforcement Section

The Special Enforcement Section consists of the Government Facilities Unit. The unit provides resources protection and law enforcement for the statehouse, the Indiana Government Center, the White River State Park and the governor's residence.

NORTH FIELD OPERATIONS



*Captain
Larry R. Rollins
Commander*

North Field Operations (NFO) encompasses 39 counties in the seven northernmost districts of the state. The staff consists of one secretary, three POP troopers, two POP sergeants and one captain.

Northern Indiana is home to Notre Dame, Ball State and Purdue. The economic base varies from industrial to rural.

The lakes in northern Indiana are prime vacation spots and cause an increase in population during the summer months.

The NFO POP squads provided a great deal of service to the citizens in the areas they work. The POP units developed partnerships with the Governor's Commission for a Drug Free Indiana in several counties and promoted awareness of the growing methamphetamine problem. They worked quite successfully with the U.S. Department of Agriculture in an effort to apprehend persons collecting food stamps illegally. POP units continued to assist with investigations of controlled substance violations and helped local agencies with gang problems. POP troopers also worked with charitable organizations to help less fortunate citizens in northern Indiana.

NFO ERT responded to numerous calls for assistance throughout the year. ERT also continued the Active Shooter Training for state police personnel, local and county agencies.

CENTRAL FIELD OPERATIONS



*Captain
Mark E. Hartman
Commander*

Central Field Operations (CFO) includes five districts, Connersville, Indianapolis, Pendleton, Putnamville and Terre Haute, which stretch across central Indiana from the Illinois state line to the Ohio state line. The staff is comprised of one captain, one sergeant, one secretary, five POP troopers and one canine unit.

CFO is responsible for security and traffic management at special events including: the Indianapolis 500, 500 Mini Marathon, Hulman 100, Brickyard 400, Indianapolis Formula One Race, Indiana State Fair, Indiana Boat, Sport and Travel Show and the National Hot Rod Association Drag Races. Additionally this year, CFO staff provided administrative, planning and operational support during two presidential visits, the National Governor's Association Summer Meeting and the National Socialists Movement rally.

The CFO ERT conducted 53 operational and special details, ranging from serving high risk search and arrest warrants, to handling hostage situations and dealing with barricaded suspects. They also provided special security for the National Governor's Association Summer Meeting.

The CFO Marijuana Eradication Team completed its most successful year. Troopers diligently eradicated outdoor marijuana plants and investigated indoor grows. The CFO team eradicated thousands of marijuana plants, made 103 criminal arrests and seized \$807,724 in equipment and cash.

During August, the team located 48 marijuana plants in a rural Boone County field and tracked the suspect to a nearby house. After obtaining a search warrant, a search of the residence revealed an illegal gambling ring in the basement of the home complete with full size craps, blackjack and roulette tables. Also located in the residence was an indoor marijuana grow and processed marijuana, resulting in the arrest of the occupant and the seizure of thousands of dollars of gambling equipment, growing equipment and cash.

While conducting an indoor marijuana grow investigation in Hendricks County, units were able to obtain a search warrant for the property. The search located a grow of approximately 100 plants and several pounds of processed marijuana. This case resulted in several state and federal charges and the seizure of approximately \$300,000 in property, equipment, vehicles and cash.

The CFO Interdiction/Canine Team successfully attacked other drug problems including the growing methamphetamine menace. The team seized

the following contraband: 998 pounds of marijuana, more than three pounds of cocaine, over six pounds of methamphetamine, 78 grams of heroin, 2,300 doses of ecstasy and \$450,000 in assets, including 84 guns and 30 vehicles and \$394,010. Central Field Operations staff also assisted with two anhydrous ammonia surveillance details, which netted 16 arrests on 77 felony charges, five vehicles seized and three methamphetamine labs dismantled.

SOUTH FIELD OPERATIONS



*Captain
William A. Walls
Commander*

South Field Operations (SFO) encompasses 32 counties in southern Indiana. SFO has posts in the cities of Bloomington, Evansville, Jasper, Sellersburg, Seymour and Versailles. The purpose of SFO is to manage the functions of the six districts and the operations conducted at those locations.

South Field Operations also has two squads of troopers assigned exclusively to POP duties. These squads work directly with citizens to help

identify and negate problems in specific geographic areas. POP troopers had many successful projects, ranging from combating drugs in neighborhoods to improving traffic related problems. The POP philosophy of working with individual citizens, civic groups and partnering with other state agencies is well established. District projects have shown a positive impact on local communities. One significant project involves the relocation of railroad tracks from the center of a city to the edge of town.

Individual districts conduct the marijuana eradication efforts for South Field Operations. Southeast and southwest regional coordinators assured that programs were consistent and expenditures and statistics were properly maintained. An intense effort made on indoor grow operations resulted in increased numbers of arrests.

The specialty teams of SFO had an active year. The teams consist of ERT, Hostage Crisis Negotiations Team and Tactical Intervention Platoon. Also active in SFO this year were members of the Scuba Team and Explosive Ordinance Team. The services of SFO specialty team officers were utilized by many local jurisdictions during the year.

TOLL ROAD DISTRICT



*Lieutenant
Dallard R. Tackett
Commander*

The Indiana Toll Road spans seven counties and covers a total of 156 miles from the Illinois state line to the Ohio state line. The post, located at milepost 73 on Interstate 80, was established in 1955. The department is the only police agency that has a formal agreement with INDOT to provide law enforcement services for the Toll Road.

Due to the nature of the Toll Road District, traffic enforcement and the safe movement of the motoring public is the main emphasis for personnel assigned to the Interstate 80 corridor. In addition to routine patrols, district personnel are also involved in special assignments, including traffic control for the University of Notre Dame home football games and other special projects funded by INDOT to increase the safe movement of traffic, especially in construction areas.

Saturation patrols have resulted in an 83 percent reduction in traffic fatalities involving commercial motor vehicles. An overall 62 percent reduction in total traffic fatalities on the Indiana Toll Road was achieved through the efforts of dedicated troopers.

The district is committed to providing public service and promoting the department to the citizens living adjacent to the toll road. Troopers assigned to the district perform numerous programs and public information functions at local schools, clubs and fairs.

In addition to the motorists traveling the Toll Road, district personnel provide service to the nearly 600 employees of INDOT's Toll Road

Division as well as numerous employees of the various businesses, which operate in the 10 travel plazas. Approximately 58 million vehicles traveled across the Toll Road, which generated nearly \$98 million in revenue. The Toll Road, on many occasions, remains open as a viable thoroughfare when severe winter storms close other major arteries in the northern portion of Indiana.

Traffic stops last year resulted in the discovery of over 50 pounds of marijuana and over 250 grams of cocaine. For the first time in many years there were no armed robberies or attempted robberies on the Indiana Toll Road.

Criminal investigations and arrests continue to increase on the Toll Road. A sharp increase of warrant arrests has also been noticed with the installation of in-car computers. District personnel handled over 13,000 calls for service. Proactive programs have been instituted to curb crime and to provide a safe environment for toll road and service plaza employees:

- Management personnel at service plazas have been educated on the use of existing video equipment and on proper money handling from their registers to the bank in an effort to reduce employee thefts.
- Toll booth attendants have been provided information on how to detect counterfeit money.
- To reduce a potential health hazard, maintenance workers were given classes on identifying products and equipment used in methamphetamine labs as they check on abandoned vehicles or find abandoned equipment at various toll road dumpsites.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	26,495	25,016	20,359
Moving Arrests	20,861	18,761	16,159
Truck Arrests	5,350	4,356	2,780
DUI Arrests	302	271	215
Warnings	22,768	25,491	24,342
Crashes	1,290	1,239	1,256
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	243	216	224
Police Services	5,621	6,150	4,580
Criminal Arrests	408	445	449
Felony Arrests	103	150	134
Intelligence Reports	22	16	69
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	62	25	21

LOWELL DISTRICT



*Lieutenant
Larry R. Keiser
Commander*

The Lowell District is comprised of Jasper, Lake, LaPorte, Newton, Porter, Pulaski and Starke Counties in the northwest corner of the state. The district covers an area of 3,218 square miles with a population base of over 820,000.

The district is a very diverse mix of urban, commercial and rural settings. The northern counties in the district are bordered on the north by Lake Michigan and the Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore and the Chicago metropolitan area to the west. The southern counties in the district are sparsely populated and consist of farmland and small towns. There are three correctional facilities in the district: Michigan City State Prison, the Westville Correctional Center and Medaryville Correctional Facility.

Eighty police and 17 civilian personnel staff the district. Personnel also work hand in hand with the Bureau of Criminal Investigation detectives, motor carrier enforcement officers and personnel assigned to the Lowell Regional Laboratory.

District officers patrol 107 miles of interstate highway with Interstates 80 and 94 traverse the district east and west and Interstate 65 bisects the district north and south. Troopers participated in special enforcement projects on Interstates 80 and 94

throughout the year targeting hazardous moving violations.

During the summer and fall the marijuana team worked with detectives, members of the Aviation Section and other local law enforcement officials in an effort to battle the spread of wild and cultivated marijuana. With public cooperation, district personnel seized several indoor grow operations and destroyed thousands of marijuana plants.

Four district troopers continue to serve on two federal task forces operating in the metropolitan areas of Lake County and 10 troopers are temporarily assigned to the Gaming Enforcement Division, serving on one of the five gaming boats located in the district.

A trooper from the Porter County area received the top D.U.I. award from the Governor's Council on Impaired and Dangerous Driving. Another trooper uncovered a casino theft ring involving the theft of thousands of dollars across a five state area during a traffic stop.

A team of 10 troopers from the post participates in the National Police Challenge 50 Kilometer Relay Race in Washington, D.C. each May. The U.S. Secret Service sponsors the race and all of the proceeds support Concerns of Police Survivors (COPS), a national organization dedicated to supporting the loved ones of police officers who were killed in the line of duty. In 2004 the team will run in memory of Trooper Scott Patrick from the Lowell District, killed in the line-of-duty on December 22.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	31,125	31,338	28,858
Moving Arrests	21,836	21,897	21,356
Truck Arrests	6,571	6,176	6,156
DUI Arrests	474	686	675
Warnings	25,623	24,322	24,216
Crashes	2,489	2,347	2,666
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	721	768	641
Police Services	5,315	5,023	4,949
Criminal Arrests	962	987	944
Felony Arrests	244	290	276
Intelligence Reports	28	134	35
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	39	41	23

LAFAYETTE DISTRICT



Lieutenant
Douglas A. Theobald
Commander

The Lafayette District is composed of eight counties, which include two interstates and six of the longest highway systems in the state. The district is the home to Purdue University, Wabash College, Tippecanoe Battlefield and Indiana Beach Amusement Park.

To deter the manufacture and use of methamphetamine, personnel conducted surveillance at farm fertilizer facilities that store anhydrous ammonia. The effort resulted in 64 meth labs being dismantled.

The Marijuana Eradication Team seized 108 indoor-cultivated plants and 755 outdoor-cultivated plants from 49 plots. Over 55,000 wild marijuana plants were seized and 68 criminal charges were filed.

Troopers located and arrested individuals wanted on various criminal warrants. Their efforts resulted in 170 individuals being arrested. The district continues to assist the Tippecanoe County Drug Task Force, a joint effort between all law enforcement agencies within the county.

The district participated in the *Click It or Ticket* campaign in May. Personnel conducted 16 seat belt enforcement zones during the two-week period. The district's efforts in seat belt/child restraint enforcement continued throughout the year generating 2,288 seat belt arrests and 68 child restraint arrests. Enforcement personnel also conducted specialized patrols addressing impaired driving, commercial motor vehicle violations,

aggressive driving, school bus stop arm violations and habitual traffic violators.

District personnel conducted several educational programs. The *Every 15 Minutes* program, which educates high school students about the dangers of operating a vehicle while intoxicated, was presented to several high schools. A *Rape Awareness and Prevention* seminar was conducted in White County at the request of the prosecutor's office to help educate citizens about not becoming a victim of a sexual assault.

Personnel participated in the Latino Coalition of Greater Lafayette working in conjunction with *Project ACE* (Alcohol Compliance Enforcement). This program is designed to work with law enforcement and the Latino Coalition to reduce underage drinking within the Hispanic community.

The district participates in the Greater Lafayette Area Safety Council (GLASC), an organization composed of industry within the area to promote workplace safety. The district hosted the monthly meeting in September and conducted training on identity theft. Over 40 corporate personnel attended the training session.

For the third year in a row the district hosted the *Cops for Kids Program* at Christmas. The eight local Division of Family and Children Offices in the district selected over 100 children to benefit from the gifts bought with the money provided by the *Cops for Kids Program*, Sams Club and Wal-Mart. Several enforcement and civilian employees and their family members donated their time to greet and present the toys to the needy children. Santa was also available for pictures.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	15,128	18,146	13,654
Moving Arrests	10,176	12,359	9,214
Truck Arrests	2,884	3,442	2,143
DUI Arrests	416	510	355
Warnings	16,649	16,806	14,527
Crashes	806	832	716
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	228	279	181
Police Services	3,621	3,793	3,571
Criminal Arrests	1,158	1,453	1,304
Felony Arrests	425	510	469
Intelligence Reports	124	96	18
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	11	8	6

PERU DISTRICT



Lieutenant
Edward C. Schroder
Commander

The Peru District is located in north central Indiana and encompasses six counties. The Peru Circus City Festival, Tipton County Pork Festival, Brass Ring Festival, Round Barn Festival and Wabash Canal Days are several events hosted within the district each year.

District personnel assisted Grissom Air Reserve Base with traffic direction and security during their open house/air show. During this two-day event, officers facilitated the flow of approximately 110,000 people.

The district continues to utilize its public information trailer at local festivals and fairs. The district conducted 296 public information programs, 168 were initiated by officers involved in the *Adopt-A-School* program. This program allowed officers to develop relationships with students and school personnel. Troopers conducted 682 walk-through details, in conjunction with the district *School Walk-Through* program.

Personnel coordinated a program known as *Law Day*, presented at Grissom Air Reserve Base, to sixth graders in Miami County and Southeastern Corporation in Cass County. The 700 students viewed exhibits and met with representatives from various law enforcement agencies.

Over 1,200 first responders from 21 agencies attended presentations on clandestine lab identification and safety awareness. The six certified Clandestine Lab Team members responded to 64 methamphetamine labs in the district and an additional 57 labs outside the district.

A subject was apprehended during an attempted theft of anhydrous ammonia and information gleaned from the suspect resulted in the issuance of five search warrants for residences in Windfall and Peru. The execution of these search warrants resulted in the discovery of five meth labs and the arrest of eight individuals on numerous charges. In addition, approximately \$30,000 in stolen computer equipment and power tools were recovered. It was determined that the merchandise had been stolen from two local department stores.

District personnel conducted 60 DWI saturation patrols, resulting in 259 traffic arrests, 81 of which were DWI arrests. The patrols also effected 89 criminal arrests, including 25 felony arrests and 40 alcohol arrests. These efforts contributed greatly to the 31 percent increase in DWI arrests.

For the sixth consecutive year, officers have conducted three districtwide, *DWI Enforcement D-Day* projects. Each of the three details employed over 26 enforcement officers from the district, investigators and POP units. Multiple saturation patrols were conducted simultaneously throughout the district. Officers executed four *Truck Enforcement* days in the area, bringing together personnel from the district, the Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division and North Field Operations. An emphasis was placed on moving truck arrests for causation factors such as speeding, following too closely and improper lane changes. These represent just two examples of outstanding intragency cooperation, which continues to support the district's objectives.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	12,966	14,506	11,513
Moving Arrests	8,031	8,697	7,387
Truck Arrests	1,910	1,805	1,364
DUI Arrests	177	273	333
Warnings	13,328	15,206	12,942
Crashes	521	509	426
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	90	86	52
Police Services	2,121	2,177	1,938
Criminal Arrests	323	531	568
Felony Arrests	155	207	227
Intelligence Reports	39	153	0
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	7	4	2

FORT WAYNE DISTRICT



*Lieutenant
Gary A. Robbins
Commander*

The Fort Wayne District encompasses nine counties in northeastern Indiana and is the largest district geographically in the state. It also contains the state's second largest city, Fort Wayne. Troopers respond to more than 13,000 calls for service annually in addition to their road patrol duties. A great number of lakes, reservoirs and pop-

ular state parks are located in the district, which causes the population to swell with tourists and summer residents.

The Three Rivers Festival, Johnny Appleseed Festival, Bluffton Street Fair, Huntington Heritage Days, Shipshewana Flea Market and the Auburn Cord Dusenbury Festival are hosted annually in the district. The Kruse Celebrity and Collector Car Auction is held in conjunction with the Auburn Cord Dusenbury Festival. Many celebrities and sports stars bring their collector automobiles to this world-renowned event to be auctioned. Over 500,000 spectators attend this annual Labor Day event.

In addition to their regular duties, enforcement personnel conducted specialized patrols addressing operating while intoxicated violations, commercial motor vehicle violations and passenger restraint violations. Their efforts resulted in numerous impaired driving, criminal and traffic arrests. Quarterly crash statistics were utilized to identify locations in each county where frequent crashes occurred. Specialized patrols were then

assigned in these locations targeting causation violations. Taking enforcement action has resulted in a significant reduction in crashes at these locations.

During the summer months and into the fall, district personnel work closely with the National Guard and aviation personnel in the eradication of marijuana. With public cooperation, district personnel seized several indoor grow operations, including growing equipment and thousands of cultivated marijuana plants, resulting in 114 arrests.

The district had two noteworthy rescues during the year. During heavy flooding, Trooper Brian Walker participated in a swift water rescue on the Saint Mary's River in Adams County. Walker tied himself to a Department of Natural Resources' watercraft and entered the rapid river to rescue a young female whose canoe had capsized. He was awarded the department's Silver Star and Indiana Conservation Officer Kevin Pensinger, along with Decatur Firefighter Tony Stimpson, were awarded the department's Bronze Star for their actions during the rescue.

Senior Trooper Ron Galaviz rescued a female and her canine companion from a vehicle, which had gone into a retention pond after being involved in a crash. Galaviz swam out to the vehicle as it was rapidly sinking. The female was trapped by the shoulder harness, which was wrapped around her leg and was unable to free herself. Galaviz dove underwater three times before he was able to unwrap the harness. He then swam the female and her canine back to shore. As a result of his actions, he has been nominated for the department's Silver Star Award.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	25,376	25,977	23,629
Moving Arrests	18,959	19,445	18,544
Truck Arrests	4,167	4,633	4,069
DUI Arrests	473	596	498
Warnings	26,309	28,524	24,269
Crashes	1,140	1,149	1,255
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	253	275	236
Police Services	2,099	2,646	2,167
Criminal Arrests	1,379	1,423	1,296
Felony Arrests	419	538	403
Intelligence Reports	42	32	27
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	21	15	49

BREMEN DISTRICT



Lieutenant
J. Bradley Weaver
Commander

The Bremen District encompasses four counties in north central Indiana and serves a variety of communities from the rural Amish areas in southern Elkhart, northern Kosciusko and Marshall Counties to the larger urban areas of South Bend, Mishawaka and Elkhart.

Every year, troopers work with police officers from several agencies to provide escorts, security and traffic control at the University of Notre Dame football games.

Troopers provided the majority of foot patrols and traffic direction at the annual Blueberry Festival held in Marshall County. It is estimated that 500,000 people attend the four-day event.

During the summer and fall, the Marijuana Eradication Team worked with detectives, members of the Aviation Section and other local law enforcement officials in an effort to battle the spread of wild and cultivated marijuana. Officers made 120 criminal arrests with 39 arrests coming from outdoor growing operations and 81 from indoor growing operations. The team confiscated over \$88,755 of assets from the illegal operations. Additionally, 3,175,377 wild marijuana plants were eradicated.

Troopers and detectives worked homicides, crimes against children, drug interdiction and political crimes. The district's eight clandestine lab investigators were active in dismantling methamphetamine laboratories. Troopers also battled the growing number of anhydrous ammonia thefts by increasing electronic surveillance. At one location, 11 suspects were arrested and charged with 30 offenses.

District personnel worked with local police to solve the first known murder in Argos. A suspect was discovered early in the investigation. With the help of the television show, *America's Most Wanted*, the suspect was located living on the streets in a Louisiana town. Troopers flew to Louisiana where they interviewed witnesses and transported the suspect back to Indiana to face charges.

District personnel worked with U.S. Marshals to apprehend an individual wanted for stabbing a victim numerous times. The suspect was living in a heavily wooded area near Walkerton. Troopers, U.S. Marshals, local law enforcement and ERT members conducted a high-risk search of the compound. The suspect fled, but was soon apprehended. He had been hiding in a camouflaged motor home, where troopers found numerous weapons.

Troopers assisted the cities of Mishawaka and Bremen. Mishawaka had two officers killed while investigating a robbery and Bremen had an officer killed in a traffic accident. Troopers patrolled the cities, helped with critical incident stress debriefing, crisis management, funeral details and other supportive measures.

The district partnered with the Notre Dame Police Department to host the 2003 C.A.R.E. Kickoff. Troopers from Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio and Wisconsin were invited to the event held on the Notre Dame campus. Traffic safety issues were presented to media representatives.

District personnel assisted with traffic direction, intelligence gathering, air support, on-site security and escorts when Vice President Dick Cheney came to South Bend.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	16,911	17,091	15,335
Moving Arrests	11,551	11,111	9,881
Truck Arrests	3,046	2,923	2,509
DUI Arrests	559	468	403
Warnings	15,983	18,008	16,393
Crashes	857	669	633
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	144	90	107
Police Services	1,252	1,065	1,136
Criminal Arrests	1,466	1,743	1,760
Felony Arrests	408	531	592
Intelligence Reports	91	59	46
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	20	10	13

REDKEY DISTRICT

Lieutenant
C. Andy Coffee
Commander

Located in east central Indiana, the Redkey District serves Blackford, Delaware, Grant, Jay and Randolph Counties, which range from rural agricultural communities to larger urban areas. Three universities, Ball State, Indiana Wesleyan and Taylor bring a large influx of students into the district.

Several events drawing large crowds occur annually within the district. The annual five-day Tri-State Tractor/Engine Show in Portland attracts over 120,000 exhibitors and visitors each year. The Muncie Endurathon, which is a qualifier for the National Iron Man Competition, attracts over 850 participants and involves the National Guard and all law enforcement agencies in Delaware County. In September, the James Dean Festival/Car Show attracts vintage and muscle car enthusiasts from surrounding states. Blackford County hosts a large Civil War re-enactment.

Through educational and traffic enforcement efforts in the district, crash fatalities declined, helping to keep the state's fatality rate at an all time low. The district's *School Bus Stop Arm* pro-

gram continues to receive positive feedback from local school corporations. With the help of bus drivers, stop arm violation information is provided to the district for troopers to follow-up and when appropriate take enforcement action. During the year, 26 *Click It or Ticket* compliance zones were conducted in conjunction with the statewide initiative.

District troopers and detectives investigated several public officials and other agencies. These investigations ranged from sexual battery of an inmate by a jailer to clearing an agency of any criminal wrongdoing in a death.

A robbery investigation resulted in two suspects being arrested for multiple liquor and convenience store robberies, which cleared cases in three counties. Troopers were also instrumental in the arrest of a nurse after several questionable deaths occurred in a local nursing home.

The marijuana eradication program continues with great success at Redkey. Marijuana eradication units drew 84 cases; shut down nine indoor grows and made 48 arrests between June and September.

Redkey personnel presented over 315 programs. Between the *School Walk Thru Program* and handing out *Be the Best You Can Be* books, troopers were able to spend quality time in the district's school corporations.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	17,650	19,424	17,790
Moving Arrests	14,147	15,451	13,873
Truck Arrests	4,117	4,494	3,812
DUI Arrests	263	295	214
Warnings	12,164	10,293	9,309
Crashes	334	344	369
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	95	102	95
Police Services	1,850	1,903	1,636
Criminal Arrests	477	534	500
Felony Arrests	130	155	154
Intelligence Reports	76	41	117
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	14	4	1

BLOOMINGTON DISTRICT



*Lieutenant
Michael D. Saltzman
Commander*

The Bloomington District serves Brown, Greene, Lawrence, Monroe and Owen Counties. The district contains Indiana's largest university campus, Indiana University. Annual events associated with the university include the Little 500 Bicycle Race and traffic control for football games, as well as graduation ceremonies.

Other events include the Hilly Hundred Bicycle Race, county fairs and numerous festivals and parades.

Some district attractions include: Brown County State Park, McCormick's Creek State Park, Spring Mill State Park and Lake Monroe. There are also 159 known caves, including Blue Springs Caverns in Lawrence County.

One of the largest problems facing the district continued to be the illegal manufacture of methamphetamine. With assistance from area prosecutors and tips from other police agencies and the public, troopers from the district continued a proactive program. Personnel dismantled 86 labs, seized 104 grams of methamphetamine, eight pounds of marijuana, eradicated three indoor grows, seized 57 guns and \$14,277 in cash. Troopers arrested 158 individuals in connection with 486 felony charges and 197 misdemeanor charges. Troopers also conducted 31 educational programs for various groups on methamphetamine.

Significant achievements were made in the areas of traffic safety, as well as criminal enforcement. State Road 46 through the western portion of the district has been a continued source of traffic congestion. District personnel have worked with INDOT, railroad company representatives and local citizens to impact this problem. As a result, many changes have been made along State Road 46, particularly in Owen County and in the town of Spencer. Lane markings were improved; turn lanes incorporated and a traffic light installed to help improve the flow of traffic. INDOT has agreed to conduct a feasibility study on moving the CSX railroad tracks, which run through downtown Spencer, removing 17 grade crossings and allowing for widening of existing roadways.

District personnel have also put forth a continuous effort in the area of public service and participated in many programs at local schools and businesses. Personnel participated in a variety of programs to educate the public on such topics as drug usage, seat belt and child restraint use, recruiting and department youth camps. Personnel also concentrated on educating the public on driver safety and made appearances at high schools and local driving schools. District personnel worked with a local radio station to air *Cop Talk*, a weekly radio program. The program airs every Friday and features local troopers and special guests, such as representatives from INDOT, who team up to answer questions and address concerns from the general public.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	16,651	13,789	10,281
Moving Arrests	11,144	9,916	7,623
Truck Arrests	2,962	2,684	1,795
DUI Arrests	225	184	159
Warnings	12,964	11,242	9,380
Crashes	506	428	343
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	173	111	88
Police Services	3,812	4,010	3,367
Criminal Arrests	1,213	1,131	1,268
Felony Arrests	549	493	622
Intelligence Reports	58	129	249
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	4	7	11

JASPER DISTRICT



Lieutenant
Danny L. Price
Commander

The diversity of the environment and of the people who live here are the greatest assets of the seven counties of the Jasper District. The Hoosier National Forest is a large part of Perry and Crawford Counties. Crawford, Dubois and Orange Counties border Patoka Lake, the state's second largest reservoir. Crane Naval

Surface Weapons Center in Martin County is one of the world's largest ammunition depots. Holiday World theme park and Lincoln Boyhood National Memorial and State Park in Spencer County attract thousands of tourists each year. The middle of the district has a rich German heritage and several Amish communities exist in the north. The district's main corridor is Interstate 64, which runs east and west through the middle of the district.

Troopers at the district have spent the last year interacting with their communities to identify and impact specific problems. The problem of impaired driving was dealt with by organizing over 150 special patrols. More than 350 impaired drivers were removed from the road during these patrols. Troopers also participated in the *You Drink, You Drive, You Lose* campaign and the *Click It or Ticket* seat belt enforcement effort, both of which yielded impressive results. The district's concentrated traffic enforcement effort was rounded out with special patrols on Interstate 64. Personnel organized 257 speed enforcement patrols and also checked the interstate 576 times for stranded motorists.

The district's criminal enforcement effort included spending 1,041 hours serving more than

350 outstanding warrants for crimes ranging from failure-to-appear to murder. The warrant services resulted in 566 separate charges and jail time to people who might not have otherwise been located.

Troopers made 1,058 drug arrests, 583 of them felonies. District employees spent an incredible amount of time investigating methamphetamine labs. State and local police located a total of 88 labs, a 16 percent increase from last year. Officers from the district spent 864 hours investigating these labs and made 289 arrests.

Troopers continued providing numerous public appearances at schools and civic groups to promote safety. More than 10,000 people attended those presentations on a variety of topics including gun safety, illegal drug use, school bus safety, *Stranger Danger* and crime prevention. Troopers also assisted detectives with one homicide, two attempted homicides and 21 death investigations.

ERT was activated three times in the district. Twice they were successful in arresting a suspect who had barricaded himself in a house after committing a forcible felony. ERT and other troopers conducted a manhunt in Spencer County for a suspect wanted for murder in Texas. The suspect took his own life as troopers were closing in on him.

Special accomplishments by district personnel include a trooper in Daviess County who worked with INDOT to have a left turn arrow installed at the junction of U.S. 50 and State Road 57, which alleviated congestion and reduced crashes. Over 100 pounds of marijuana was discovered in a car when a trooper made a traffic stop on Interstate 64 in March. Motor Carrier inspectors discovered stolen heavy construction equipment worth over \$100,000 during a traffic stop on Interstate 64.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	10,789	9,277	10,411
Moving Arrests	6,698	6,046	7,840
Truck Arrests	2,093	1,756	2,254
DUI Arrests	351	435	366
Warnings	14,450	14,910	13,867
Crashes	776	754	680
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	182	168	160
Police Services	3,105	3,246	3,175
Criminal Arrests	1,898	1,992	2,128
Felony Arrests	921	982	1,115
Intelligence Reports	96	46	24
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	34	8	15

EVANSVILLE DISTRICT



*Lieutenant
Dennis E. Marshall
Commander*

The Evansville District is located in the southwest corner of the state and consists of Gibson, Knox, Pike, Posey, Vanderburgh and Warrick Counties. It encompasses both farmland and cities, such as Evansville, Mt. Vernon, Newburgh, Petersburg, Princeton and Vincennes, and is home to four universities:

Oakland City University, University of Evansville, University of Southern Indiana and Vincennes University.

District personnel assisted with traffic and security at several festivals. The Evansville Freedom Festival features an air show and hydroplane race. In early August, several thousand older model vehicles are displayed during the Frog Follies Car Show held at the Vanderburgh County 4-H Fairgrounds. Both of these events draw several thousand visitors to the Vanderburgh County area.

Manufacturing methamphetamine is a continued concern for the Evansville District. In order to combat this concern, personnel conducted surveillance at farm centers where anhydrous ammonia is sold; partnered with merchants to conduct programs on identifying potential suspects; presented programs to the civic organizations and judicial systems; and developed a team, which was assigned specifically to methamphetamine enforcement. This team, with assistance of other personnel, has been responsible for the discovery of 71 methamphetamine labs and 513 criminal arrests, all dealing with drug related offenses.

The district interdiction officer has been very active in reducing the flow of illegal drugs transported through the area. He had been responsible for the confiscation of 3,500 grams of cocaine, 9,300 grams of marijuana, 950 grams of methamphetamine and the seizure of \$32,000 worth of vehicles, over \$5,400 worth of weapons and \$60,400 in cash.

Education of children and parents continued to be a big part of the district's initiatives. Over half of the district's troopers and civilian personnel participate in giving programs promoting youth services and attending the youth services camps. District personnel also provided information about the dangers of methamphetamine, alcohol, and other drugs at county fairs.

Troopers conducted several child restraint inspections at different locations throughout the district. Personnel found a high percentage of child restraint seats were improperly installed. To help parents with child safety seat installation, the district set aside one day per week for scheduled appointments at the post. District personnel aggressively worked seat belt enforcement zones to increase the percentage of voluntary compliance in seat belt usage.

Partnering with other organizations to improve public safety is a driving force in the problem oriented policing concept of the district. Personnel have partnered with INDOT and conduct quarterly meetings to address problems and concerns about the highways in the district. These meetings have been instrumental in improving communications between departments.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	20,863	21,631	17,815
Moving Arrests	14,779	16,295	13,617
Truck Arrests	1,352	2,028	4,351
DUI Arrests	284	409	461
Warnings	11,731	14,268	11,553
Crashes	611	599	530
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	215	245	164
Police Services	1,609	1,639	1,312
Criminal Arrests	1,375	2,028	1,811
Felony Arrests	498	731	601
Intelligence Reports	44	17	38
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	21	8	8

VERSAILLES DISTRICT



*Lieutenant
Marty D. McKinney
Commander*

The Versailles District serves Dearborn, Decatur, Jefferson, Ohio, Ripley and Switzerland Counties in southeastern Indiana. The 14,000 square foot facility provides office and storage space for troopers, investigative, laboratory and civilian personnel. Department members and other agencies use the training and conference facilities.

Despite a significant decrease in patrol hours, troopers from the district managed to increase DUI enforcement by more than two percent. Through the use of dedicated DUI patrols, troopers increased the arrest and prosecution of repeat felony offenders by 17 percent. Crash investigations decreased by 21 percent for the year, although the district experienced a slight increase in crash fatalities due in part to several multiple-fatality crashes.

Troopers investigated increasing numbers of methamphetamine lab related crime. Troopers uncovered 16 clandestine labs. Although this number is small compared to other areas of the state, it represents a steady increase of this criminal and environmental menace in the area. Troopers also worked to apprehend and impede the theft and illegal transportation of anhydrous ammonia, which is a precursor chemical used in the manufacture of methamphetamine. Organized groups of anhydrous thieves, who operate out of Kentucky, were identified and arrested.

District troopers were involved in several notable investigations and events during the year. In March, a trooper investigating a routine traffic crash on icy roads in Decatur County recovered 38 pounds of cocaine and arrested six defendants. In June, a suicidal woman unexpectedly confronted a trooper. The woman pointed a gun to her head and pulled the trigger before the trooper could disarm her. Also in June, quick action by an ERT member led to the rescue of a nine-day-old child being held hostage by the father, who had been on a meth binge. In November, a Cincinnati man was involved in a workplace shooting, killing two and wounding five others. He traveled into Indiana, where a trooper apprehended him at a truck stop. Also in November, an Indianapolis murder suspect was involved in a moving gun battle with Aurora and Dearborn County police, which resulted in an Aurora officer being wounded. Troopers and investigators responded to multiple crime scenes, finding and preserving vital evidence in the Aurora shooting and the Indianapolis murder case.

In addition to normal patrol and investigative activities, troopers at the district provided law enforcement services for two major tourist events in southeastern Indiana - the National Muzzle Loading Rifle Association Championships in Friendship and the Madison Regatta in Jefferson County. Troopers were also involved in public information and educational projects, such as a weekly radio show in Madison, driver's education programs and hunter safety classes. The district also maintained representatives on local school safety commissions.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	10,643	10,635	7,763
Moving Arrests	6,988	7,224	5,178
Truck Arrests	1,352	1,073	845
DUI Arrests	290	413	427
Warnings	15,521	13,145	8,839
Crashes	423	437	345
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	80	92	82
Police Services	3,488	2,412	1,398
Criminal Arrests	1,570	2,230	1,871
Felony Arrests	498	931	696
Intelligence Reports	117	60	69
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	22	9	10

SEYMOUR DISTRICT



Lieutenant
Mark R. Davis
Commander

The Seymour District serves the people of Bartholomew, Jackson and Jennings Counties with 18 troopers and one high performance vehicle unit to patrol the district's roadways. The post, which opened in June of 1937, is located in Seymour on U.S. 50 approximately three miles west of Interstate 65. The pride and history of the Indiana

State Police can be revisited by viewing this two-tone brown brick landmark, which was the first post owned by the state.

The main routes of travel through the district are Interstate 65, U.S. 50 and U.S. 31. Troopers patrol over 45 miles of interstate highway.

Several festivals and gatherings occur yearly in the district: Seymour Oktoberfest, Brownstown Watermelon Festival, Chautauqua of the Arts, Ft. Vallonia Days, Ethnic Expo, Hope Heritage Days, Festival of Lights Christmas Parade and the North Vernon Railroad Days celebration.

Activities organized and conducted at the Seymour Post include *Visit with Santa Claus*, *Trick or Treat* and *Easter Egg Hunt*. These activities were eagerly anticipated by local children and gave them a safe haven to have fun. Personnel participated in *Cops for Kids* and delivered gifts to children who might not otherwise have a Christmas. The weekly *In-Lunch Program* allowed grade school students a chance to meet and eat with troopers.

On December 14th, Sergeant Brian Wilson was awarded the Gold Star, the highest honor given to members of the Indiana State Police, for his actions following a traffic crash in Bartholomew County. On May 4th, Wilson broke out the window of a burning vehicle with his elbow and climbed in to pull a seriously injured and unconscious victim to safety.

Enforcement personnel continue to use the problem oriented policing philosophy. Traffic enforcement was geared toward aggressively pursuing those violating the passenger restraint laws. The district's zero tolerance against non-compliance has increased seat belt usage and saved lives. The *Permanent Fitting Station* provided parents the opportunity to have their child restraint seats properly installed in their vehicles and 22 child restraint seats were discovered improperly installed. In addition this program gave 14 car seats to parents who could not afford to purchase seats. Two troopers are certified to inspect and install car seats at no cost to the public.

The district stepped up enforcement efforts to shut down clandestine labs. The battle to fight the methamphetamine problem began with the establishment of a team of four officers to concentrate solely on this problem. Programs to educate the public were presented and retail merchants were asked to keep their eyes open for suspicious customers and purchases. Through good police work and community involvement, the district dismantled 31 labs in a six-month period.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	15,552	15,135	10,264
Moving Arrests	13,047	12,802	8,232
Truck Arrests	2,986	3,164	2,060
DUI Arrests	247	199	161
Warnings	10,013	8,813	5,774
Crashes	482	435	479
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	110	86	124
Police Services	5,637	4,832	4,182
Criminal Arrests	1,021	829	866
Felony Arrests	281	214	310
Intelligence Reports	6	20	15
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	11	7	9

SELLERSBURG DISTRICT



*Lieutenant
James E. Hickerson
Commander*

The Sellersburg District is located in southern Indiana and is comprised of five counties. With Louisville, Kentucky located across the Ohio River from Jeffersonville, Clarksville and New Albany, the southern part of the district struggles with traffic and criminal problems inherent to densely populated urban areas.

Interstates 65 and 64 are the two main arteries running through the district and they are connected by Interstate 265. These interstates are a special policing problem for the district because of the large volume of traffic that flows daily. Interstate 65 has experienced a continued increase in traffic, which has resulted in more than 150,000 cars per day crossing the Kennedy Bridge between Kentucky and Indiana. The congestion is concentrated in the 55-mile per hour zone in Clark County. An extensive construction project to expand Interstate 65 from four to eight lanes is in progress and expected to be completed by late 2004. Units from the Sellersburg Post worked 5,034 hours in this construction zone resulting in a reduction of crashes and no fatalities.

One of the major accomplishments for the Sellersburg District was the successful completion of two security details. During the weekend of September 20th and 21st, personnel were responsible for security at the memorial service for Governor Frank O'Bannon. This event required

the coordination of numerous law enforcement and governmental agencies to ensure the safe movement of thousands of people. In October, the district assisted with security at the Lewis and Clark Bicentennial Commemoration at the Falls of the Ohio. This event was attended by thousands from all over the United States, including several Native American tribes.

Units from the district also conducted a special program to focus on impaired driving. Through the use of saturation patrols, district units made a significant impact on driving while intoxicated related crashes, reducing district fatalities by 36 percent.

Troopers also partnered with several criminal justice agencies and local law enforcement to gather and dispose of expired prescription medications possessed by senior citizens. The district is also a member of the Southern Indiana TRIAD, an organization that works to improve the lives of senior citizens.

The district has utilized problem oriented policing to address criminal activity. Troopers worked closely with detectives from the Criminal Investigation Division in solving several cases. Troopers also located and dismantled several clandestine labs.

Numerous public events requiring the mutual cooperation of several agencies occur each year and the Sellersburg District takes a leadership role. These events include: Thunder Over Louisville, the New Albany Harvest Homecoming and the Graceland Funfest Detail.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	19,107	20,238	18,594
Moving Arrests	12,956	14,347	13,024
Truck Arrests	4,210	4,176	3,372
DUI Arrests	450	702	676
Warnings	10,071	9,714	10,268
Crashes	1,086	1,215	967
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	212	323	180
Police Services	1,931	2,017	2,071
Criminal Arrests	1,823	2,221	2,123
Felony Arrests	806	1,010	990
Intelligence Reports	71	44	123
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	22	7	16

PENDLETON DISTRICT



*Lieutenant
Michael H. Lepper
Commander*

The counties that make up the Pendleton District, Hamilton, Hancock and Madison, continue to be the fastest growing in the state. The population explosion and the number of motor vehicles on the roadway make for ever-increasing challenges in patrol and service needs.

Almost half of the residents commute outside the district to and from work each day. Those motorists travel on Interstates 70 and 69, as well as 4,000 miles of city and county roadways in the district.

The district is a very diverse mix of urban, commercial and rural settings. Attractions like Morse and Geist Reservoirs, Conner Prairie Pioneer Village, Verizon Music Center, Mounds State Park, Hoosier Park Horse Track and the close proximity to all the Indianapolis sporting events and attractions also makes for a booming residential and business environment. Troopers continue to concentrate on operating while intoxicated, railroad crossing, seat belt and speed violations.

Three correction facilities, the Pendleton Correctional Facility, the Correctional Industrial Complex and the Pendleton Juvenile Correctional Facility, continue to be sources of criminal activity. The district works closely with

other agencies by attending monthly or quarterly chiefs' meetings and becoming more involved with organizations like local Mothers Against Drunk Driving chapters.

Troopers have developed strong working relationships with their counterparts from local agencies. All troopers have county radios, which allow them to communicate with local departments more effectively until the Project Hoosier SAFE-T program is implemented in the district. The Pendleton firearms range was also made available to federal, other state and local law enforcement agencies.

Personnel also work hand in hand with the Bureau of Criminal Investigation. The Laboratory Division, Crimes Against Children Unit and district detectives all have offices at the post. In addition, Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division personnel maintain an office and work with troopers to guarantee the safety of school buses and commercial vehicles within the district.

Troopers at the district continue to provide service to the citizens of Indiana through their specialized training. The district has personnel who voluntarily serve as members of ERT, USRT, EOD, TIP, Crash Reconstruction and the HCN. The district's marijuana eradication efforts have also been very effective at identifying indoor and outdoor growing operations and shutting them down.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	16,987	12,299	9,690
Moving Arrests	11,642	8,004	6,383
Truck Arrests	2,809	1,509	989
DUI Arrests	679	547	459
Warnings	17,906	14,020	10,308
Crashes	337	254	228
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	109	71	56
Police Services	2,400	2,223	2,174
Criminal Arrests	867	815	548
Felony Arrests	249	181	186
Intelligence Reports	12	1	9
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	8	14	3

INDIANAPOLIS DISTRICT



*Lieutenant
Douglas E. Shelton
Commander*

The Indianapolis District is comprised of Boone, Johnson, Marion and Shelby Counties in central Indiana. The district has some of the busiest highways in the country, which create heavy workloads for troopers. The district serves a diverse customer base of over 1,000,000 Hoosiers. Police personnel cover geographic areas ranging from urban interstates to rural farm communities and work closely with other police agencies to provide the best law enforcement service possible.

Traffic enforcement and crash investigations continue to be a major focus for district personnel. Troopers held several special enforcement projects along Interstates 65 and 465 and focused their efforts on hazardous moving violations that contribute to crashes. Troopers targeted aggressive drivers throughout the district in an effort to reduce incidents of road rage and decrease the number of personal injury and fatal crashes. In Marion County troopers investigated over 3,000 crashes in 2003.

Troopers worked many overtime hours performing special traffic projects to include: C.A.R.E., STEP, DUIEP, INDOT and MCSAP. The district led the state in contacts per hour for special projects and received a \$4,000 grant from the Governor's Council on Impaired and Dangerous Driving.

District personnel provided protection for President George W. Bush during his two visits to Indianapolis this year. District personnel helped coordinate and work security for the National Governors' Association Summer Meeting held in Indianapolis. Additionally, the district dealt with hundreds of thousands of visitors to the Indiana Black Expo, the Indiana State Fair and racing events held at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway.

Troopers reduced speeding in school zones as part of their problem solving efforts in Johnson County. Enforcement efforts have also reduced the number of school bus passing violations. Two troopers seized \$79,000 of suspected drug money on a traffic stop in Shelby County.

Troopers remained active in local schools by conducting public information and safety programs. They participated in school safety committees and *Adopt-a-School Programs*, making regular visits to schools throughout the year.

Troopers eradicated 117 cultivated marijuana plots and 19 indoor growing operations resulting in the destruction on 1,515 plants and the seizure of 79 pounds of processed marijuana.

District personnel are looking forward to moving in to the new facility in January 2004. The new building will be shared with INDOT's Indianapolis Traffic Management Center. The jointly operated facility will greatly enhance public safety response to the interstate system in the Indianapolis metropolitan area. New state-of-the-art technology in the communication center will allow for real-time viewing of incidents occurring on the interstates.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	38,270	27,800	26,148
Moving Arrests	24,795	18,067	17,264
Truck Arrests	5,294	4,159	3,565
DUI Arrests	819	745	588
Warnings	25,317	21,160	20,340
Crashes	2,816	3,422	3,501
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	806	1,009	1,038
Police Services	8,186	7,040	8,015
Criminal Arrests	3,591	2,445	2,277
Felony Arrests	920	595	642
Intelligence Reports	146	81	49
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	79	50	119

PUTNAMVILLE DISTRICT



*Lieutenant
George A. Schneider
Commander*

The Putnamville District is comprised of Hendricks, Morgan and Putnam Counties, and the post is located on U.S. 40 in western Putnam County. The district, located just west of Indianapolis, has experienced rapid growth in the last several years, including a huge jump in population, residential construction and business growth.

The new residents in the district add to an already diverse populace, as the district includes a state forest, four state correctional facilities, and DePauw University, an esteemed liberal arts school in Greencastle. The growth in residential and commercial building, population and business in general are a challenge to the district, resulting in the need to utilize new and innovative techniques to maximize law enforcement.

Forty-seven employees are assigned to the district, including 37 enforcement personnel and 10 administrative and support people. The Putnamville District has embraced problem oriented policing and strives to provide more than reactive law enforcement services. Cooperative efforts between the district, investigative personnel, local law enforcement agencies and other government and service entities have yielded outstanding results.

The district conducted several projects, including a cooperative warrant service task force coor-

inated by the district problem solving unit. This project resulted in over 100 warrant arrests, the majority for felony violations. Another program targeting suspended and habitual traffic violators successfully identified and stopped over 250 drivers. District officers, working with detectives and area task force drug agents, were successful with drug arrests, especially with those starting as trash pulls.

One particularly successful project involved using district units, in cooperation with detectives and INDOT officials to target the ongoing problem of public indecency and associated violations at rest parks on Interstate 70 near Plainfield. After coordinating with officials from INDOT, district enforcement and investigative personnel conducted surveillance and took enforcement action, resulting in the arrests of several offenders for public indecency and related violations. The project also sharply reduced the overall disorder problem at the rest park. In addition to enforcement actions, personnel suggested several improvements to the structure of the rest park. Once those improvements were implemented, the overall effect enhanced the environment at the rest park, returning them to their former status.

In addition to those special projects, the district is the lead agency for police service at the National Hot Rod Association National Drags at Indianapolis Raceway Park in Clermont. This series of races is the largest event of its kind in the world.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	11,174	11,145	8,409
Moving Arrests	7,674	7,186	5,474
Truck Arrests	2,727	2,249	1,546
DUI Arrests	158	258	218
Warnings	11,937	11,236	8,058
Crashes	387	376	468
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	116	138	94
Police Services	2,619	2,444	2,200
Criminal Arrests	1,609	2,024	1,918
Felony Arrests	376	403	465
Intelligence Reports	19	8	0
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	82	52	16

TERRE HAUTE DISTRICT



*Lieutenant
Brent S. Johnson
Commander*

The Terre Haute District is located in west central Indiana and is comprised of five counties: Clay, Parke, Sullivan, Vermillion and Vigo. Forty uniformed officers as well as support personnel are assigned to the district.

Two state correctional facilities, Rockville and Wabash Valley, and one U.S. penitentiary with the only Federal Death Row Housing Facility and Federal Death House in the nation are located in the district. In March, district units were tasked with assisting the Bureau of Prisons as they carried out the execution of Lewis Jones, the third offender to be executed at the penitentiary.

In 2001, an intra-district, intra-department Methamphetamine Lab Team was created and in 2003, the team continued to use a four-point approach to combating the problem: education of the general public and retail merchants, gathering intelligence, performing follow-up investigations and partnering with local agencies. The district team generated 181 cases, located and dismantled 166 labs and made 445 arrests, of which 382 were felonies. The team spoke to approximately 6,700 people at various programs, including a presentation at the Indiana Farm Bureau State Convention where they set up an informational booth and talked about the dangers of methamphetamine.

The district continues to excel in eradicating marijuana. Through ongoing public cooperation and the use of informants, district officers eradicated 3,598 cultivated marijuana plants and made nine arrests in the process.

In July, district personnel assisted other public service agencies with security and traffic direction during the second annual Terre Haute Air Show held at the Terre Haute International Airport. An estimated 100,000 people attended this event.

In September, district units assisted the FBI, ATF and DEA with executing 12 search warrants on an interstate narcotics transportation investigation.

In October, while traveling back from Indianapolis along Interstate 70, an off-duty trooper observed a vehicle being sought for failure to pay for fuel. The trooper pursued the vehicle into the Terre Haute District, where it was stopped and a suspect wanted for murder in Mississippi was arrested.

The district continued to be the lead agency in coordinating Public Safety Days at the Honey Creek Mall in Terre Haute. The mall attracts shoppers from west central Indiana and eastern Illinois. This annual three-day event has been the largest special event held by the mall for the past 24 years. The display showcases the department and 20 other emergency service providers and associated groups.

In October, district personnel manned traffic control points and provided law enforcement assistance for the annual Parke County Covered Bridge Festival. An estimated two million people attend the festival annually.

Other accomplishments at the district included: planning activities and events associated with Hoosier Boys' State; completing training for the department's role in emergency response at the Newport Chemical Depot; and being awarded second place at the 2003 Operation Pullover banquet.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	15,958	14,462	10,857
Moving Arrests	11,052	10,258	7,690
Truck Arrests	2,662	2,423	1,647
DUI Arrests	219	209	185
Warnings	15,205	14,987	13,284
Crashes	866	804	730
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	158	139	142
Police Services	1,135	910	1,438
Criminal Arrests	858	852	841
Felony Arrests	347	308	351
Intelligence Reports	2	9	3
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	14	13	7

CONNERSVILLE DISTRICT



*Lieutenant
James A. Edwards
Commander*

The Connersville District is comprised of Fayette, Franklin, Henry, Rush, Union and Wayne Counties in east central Indiana. Thirty-eight enforcement units are assigned to the district. A dedicated and vital civilian staff supports these officers.

The post, along with its radio tower, is a local landmark in Connersville. The building, which officially opened in 1938, is still in service today due to a long history of dedicated maintenance employees.

The geographic area ranges from flat farmland laid out in precise square miles to rough, hilly terrain covered with forests. The southern portion of the district contains two state parks, the Brookville Reservoir and the Whitewater State Park. These recreation areas and adjacent roadways require additional policing efforts during the summer months.

The northern part of the district contains populated areas and the ever-busy Interstate 70. This major roadway requires constant attention due to its high volume of traffic with a potential for major backups if closed only briefly for crashes. The district works closely with other police agencies and INDOT to keep traffic moving. When two semi tractor-trailers collided head-on causing two fatalities and a large fire, it closed eastbound Interstate 70 for 12 hours, requiring a joint agency effort to divert traffic while the investigation and clean up were completed.

The importance of cooperation between agencies is always stressed. During a large industrial fire in Connersville, units responded to help with traffic control and assist the city with calls for service until normal operation was resumed.

In addition to road patrols, troopers are engaged in criminal investigations and public service activities. Troopers presented numerous programs during the year on a variety of topics such as school bus safety, identity theft and vehicular restraint systems. Personnel also work with at-risk juveniles through the Henry County Youth League and the Juvenile Traffic Court in Knightstown.

The district saw a dramatic rise in methamphetamine labs. The number of labs located and dismantled rose from 12 to 34. Troopers gave programs on the dangers of meth and trained other emergency agencies in meth lab recognition. Trained district units also assisted other agencies with the dismantling of labs.

An annual three-day celebration of Canal Days necessitated troopers direct heavy vehicular and pedestrian traffic in the Metamora area of Franklin County. The roads are easily congested with the influx of visitors for this mid-fall event.

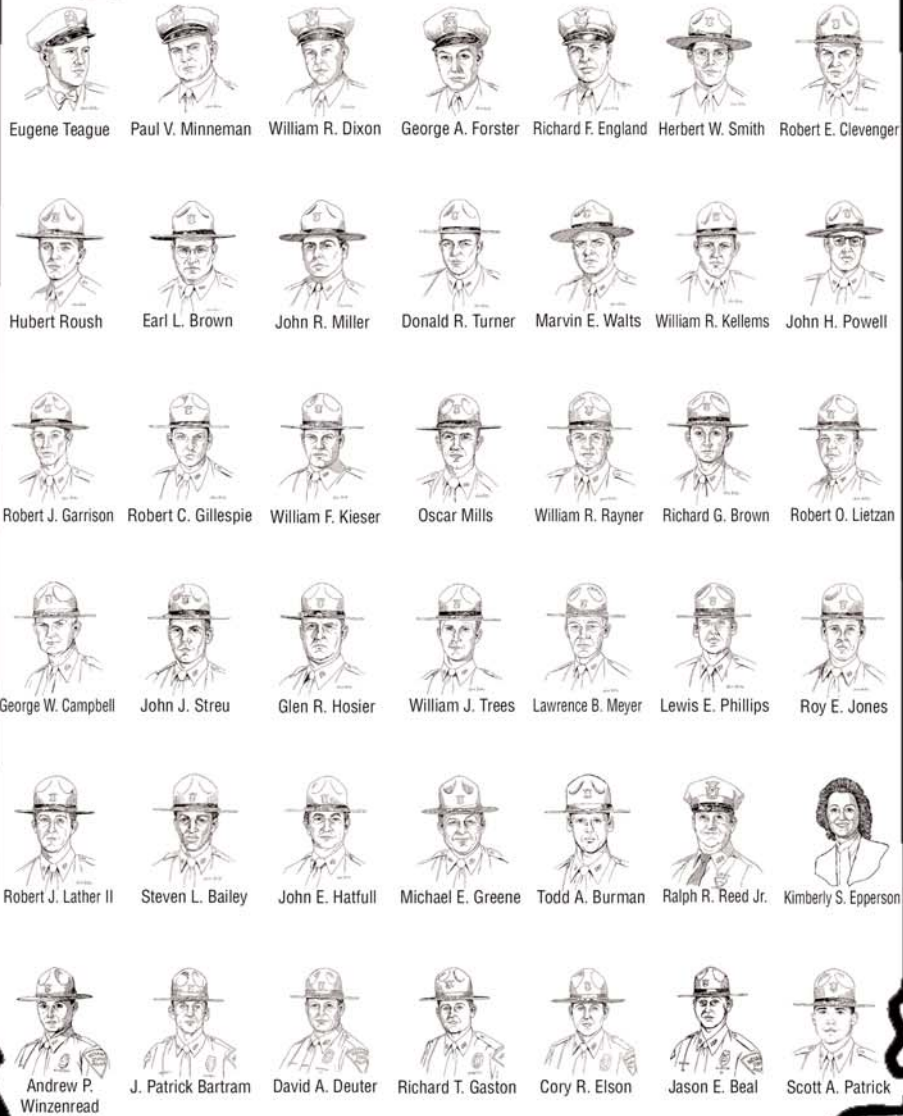
Troopers investigated a wide range of incidents individually and assisted other emergency and police agencies. One such incident involved a district trooper, who observed a vehicle believed to be occupied by two Henry County bank robbery suspects possessing firearms. The trooper pursued the vehicle and was joined by numerous law enforcement agencies. Both suspects were successfully apprehended.

	2001	2002	2003
Traffic Arrests	16,104	15,761	13,243
Moving Arrests	10,742	11,165	9,972
Truck Arrests	4,078	4,452	3,951
DUI Arrests	284	393	262
Warnings	16,346	13,938	10,630
Crashes	438	427	423
Investigated			

	2001	2002	2003
Crash Arrests	116	95	83
Police Services	1,137	843	723
Criminal Arrests	1,156	1,045	944
Felony Arrests	226	285	336
Intelligence Reports	32	27	35
Recovered Stolen Vehicles	7	15	11



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1. **TROOPER EUGENE TEAGUE** - Indianapolis, Indiana (Headquarters)
Appointed June 1, 1933, killed on December 20, 1933, in Paris, Illinois, during the capture of members of the Dillinger gang.
2. **TROOPER PAUL V. MINNEMAN** - Logansport, Indiana (Lafayette Post)
Appointed September 1, 1935, killed May 27, 1937, by gunshot while attempting to capture members of the Brady gang.
3. **TROOPER WILLIAM R. DIXON** - South Bend, Indiana (Dunes Park Post)
Appointed September 1, 1935, killed June 28, 1938, by gunshot while attempting to apprehend members of the Easton gang.
4. **TROOPER GEORGE A. FORSTER** - Seymour, Indiana (Seymour Post)
Appointed September 1, 1938, died May 17, 1941, in a traffic accident near Vernon, Indiana.
5. **TROOPER RICHARD F. ENGLAND** - Columbia City, Indiana (Ligonier Post)
Appointed January 20, 1936, died April 22, 1942, of injuries received in a traffic accident near Kimmel, Indiana.
6. **TROOPER HERBERT W. SMITH** - Shelbyville, Indiana (Connersville Post)
Appointed November 2, 1942, killed December 5, 1946, near Shelbyville, Indiana, when fired upon by a traffic violator.
7. **TROOPER ROBERT E. CLEVINGER** - Centerville, Indiana (Connersville Post)
Appointed September 1, 1952, died September 8, 1953, in a traffic crash while pursuing a violator.
8. **SERGEANT HUBERT ROUSH** - Indianapolis, Indiana (Headquarters)
Appointed July 14, 1941, died January 26, 1955, in an automobile crash near Indianapolis.
9. **TROOPER EARL L. BROWN** - Columbus, Indiana (Seymour Post)
Appointed October 16, 1940, killed August 31, 1955, while searching a suspect.
10. **SERGEANT JOHN R. MILLER** - Lafayette, Indiana (Lafayette Post)
Appointed September 1, 1941, died September 5, 1955, in an airplane crash while on Labor Day patrol.
11. **TROOPER DONALD R. TURNER** - Auburn, Indiana (Ligonier Post)
Appointed November 1, 1946, died January 28, 1956, from injuries sustained when he was struck by a passing vehicle as he helped a wrecker operator pulling a car from a ditch.
12. **F/SERGEANT MARVIN E. WALTZ** - New Albany, Indiana (Charlestown Post)
Appointed September 1, 1937, killed March 18, 1957, by gunshot wounds inflicted by a suspected bank robber.
13. **TROOPER WILLIAM R. KELLEMS** - Indianapolis, Indiana (Charlestown Post)
Appointed November 15, 1956, killed September 30, 1957, by gunshot wounds inflicted by fugitives wanted for murder.
14. **TROOPER JOHN H. POWELL** - Otterbein, Indiana (Lafayette Post)
Appointed December 1, 1954, died February 27, 1959, when he was struck by an oncoming vehicle placing an electronic timing device on the roadway.
15. **TROOPER ROBERT J. GARRISON** - Montpelier, Indiana (Redkey Post)
Appointed October 1, 1955, died December 14, 1959, instantly of head injuries sustained in an automobile crash on State Road 67.

16. **TROOPER ROBERT C. GILLESPIE** - Bedford, Indiana (Seymour Post)
Appointed September 1, 1950, died June 8, 1962, of injuries sustained in a traffic crash near Mitchell, Indiana.
17. **TROOPER WILLIAM F. KIESER** - Tell City, Indiana (Charlestown Post)
Appointed Operations Clerk, October 16, 1957, appointed as a Trooper, March 16, 1958, killed March 9, 1965, by gunshot while investigating a suspicious person near Ramsey, Indiana.
18. **TROOPER OSCAR MILLS** - Hobart, Indiana (Lafayette Post)
Appointed September 16, 1955, died April 12, 1966, as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile crash while traveling west on State Road 18 at CR 350 in Carroll County.
19. **TROOPER WILLIAM R. RAYNER** - Greensburg, Indiana (Versailles Post)
Appointed September 1, 1957, killed December 18, 1966, by gunshot inflicted by escapees from a Kentucky state prison in a stolen car.
20. **TROOPER RICHARD G. BROWN** - Lebanon, Indiana (Lafayette Post)
Appointed May 1, 1955, died September 27, 1967, as a result of injuries sustained in an car-truck crash on Interstate 74 in Boone County.
21. **TROOPER ROBERT O. LIETZAN** - Westville, Indiana (Connersville Post)
Appointed August 16, 1961, killed March 30, 1969, by gunshot inflicted by a mentally deranged subject, armed with a rifle, who had been firing at random from a barricaded position.
22. **SERGEANT GEORGE W. CAMPBELL** - Brazil, Indiana (Putnamville Post)
Appointed September 1, 1950, died June 18, 1969, of a heart attack during the arrest of a truck driver who had attempted to drive by the Putnamville truck scales.
23. **TROOPER JOHN J. STREU** - Logansport, Indiana (Schererville Post)
Appointed April 16, 1970, killed February 20, 1971, by gunshot. Marshal John Larimer of St. John, Indiana, was also fatally wounded as the two officers investigated two suspicious subjects behind a school building.
24. **SERGEANT GLEN R. HOSIER** - Logansport, Indiana (Peru Post)
Appointed May 1, 1955, killed April 26, 1971, by gunshot while attempting to apprehend a subject being sought for murder in Peru.
25. **TROOPER WILLIAM J. TREES** - Oakland City, Indiana (Evansville Post)
Appointed September 1, 1968, died June 26, 1972, in an automobile accident while pursuing a fleeing vehicle at a high rate of speed.
26. **TROOPER LAWRENCE B. MEYER** - Sellersburg, Indiana (Charlestown Post)
Appointed September 1, 1968, died February 2, 1974, of a heart attack during a foot pursuit of an escaped prisoner.
27. **TROOPER LEWIS E. PHILLIPS** - Michigan City, Indiana (Dunes Park Post)
Appointed February 27, 1973, died April 16, 1975, as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile crash on U.S. 20 when his patrol car collided with semi-tractor trailer.
28. **TROOPER ROY E. JONES** - Lapel, Indiana (Pendleton Post)
Appointed October 17, 1976, died July 3, 1979, in an automobile crash while enroute to assist the Markleville Town Marshal.
29. **TROOPER ROBERT J. LATHER II** - Greentown, Indiana (Peru Post)
Appointed December 15, 1974, died July 6, 1982, in an automobile crash while assisting the Howard County Sheriff's Department in the pursuit of a speeding vehicle.

30. **TROOPER STEVEN L. BAILEY** - Richmond, Indiana (Headquarters)
Appointed November 26, 1978, died December 10, 1983, when his weapon discharged while attempting to serve a warrant in Indianapolis.
31. **SERGEANT JOHN E. HATFULL** - Evansville, Indiana (Evansville Post)
Appointed January 28, 1973, killed April 13, 1987, by gunshot while leading the Emergency Response Team into the residence of a suicidal subject in Posey County, Indiana.
32. **MASTER TROOPER MICHAEL E. GREENE** - Thorntown, Indiana (Indianapolis Post)
Appointed June 10, 1976, killed February 5, 1993, by gunshot along Interstate 65 in Marion County, while arresting a person wanted on a warrant.
33. **TROOPER TODD A. BURMAN** - Delphi, Indiana (Lafayette Post)
December 9, 1990, killed July 29, 1993, by gunshot while assisting the Camden Town Marshal with the arrest of a disorderly person.
34. **M/MCI (W/L) RALPH R. REED** - Plymouth, Indiana (Bremen Post)
Appointed April 16, 1968, died August 3, 1995, when he was struck by a semi tractor-trailer while performing a truck inspection in Plymouth, Indiana.
35. **DNA SUPERVISOR KIMBERLY S. EPPERSON** - Fountaintown, Indiana (Headquarters)
Appointed February 4, 1985, died November 16, 1995, in an automobile crash while enroute to a training assignment at the Lowell Laboratory.
36. **TROOPER ANDREW P. WINZENREAD** - Osgood, Indiana (Versailles Post)
Appointed December 4, 1994, died April 25, 1997, when he was struck by a semi tractor-trailer while assisting a disabled motorist along Interstate 74 in Decatur County.
37. **SENIOR TROOPER JAMES PATRICK BARTRAM** - Mooresville, Indiana (Putnamville Post)
Appointed December 19, 1987, died March 31, 1998, of injuries sustained in a traffic crash on State Road 144 near Mooresville.
38. **MASTER TROOPER DAVID A. DEUTER** - Angola, Indiana (Toll Road Post)
Appointed April 1, 1972, died July 16, 1998, when he was struck by a semi tractor-trailer while conducting a traffic stop along the Indiana Toll Road in LaGrange County.
39. **TROOPER RICHARD T. GASTON** - Indianapolis, Indiana (Toll Road Post)
Appointed December 13, 1998, died March 4, 1999, when a semi tractor-trailer drove off the roadway and struck the trooper's vehicle, killing him and two people in another car.
40. **TROOPER CORY R. ELSON** - Fort Wayne, Indiana (Fort Wayne Post)
Appointed December 13, 1998, killed April 3, 1999, when a driver opened fire on him with an automatic assault rifle during a traffic stop on U.S. 27 in Decatur.
41. **TROOPER JASON E. BEAL** - Shelbyville, Indiana (Bremen Post)
Appointed December 13, 1998, died January 15, 2000, from injuries sustained when he was struck by a passing vehicle as he helped a wrecker operator, who was pulling a car out of a ditch.
42. **TROOPER SCOTT A. PATRICK** - Wheatfield, Indiana (Lowell Post)
Appointed June 25, 2000, killed December 22, 2003, when a driver opened fire on him as he approached a disabled vehicle along Interstate 80 in Lake County.

In Memoriam . . .



**Trooper
Scott A. Patrick**
Born: September 12, 1976
Died: December 22, 2003

While patrolling Interstate 80 in Lake County, Trooper Patrick was dispatched to a call of a disabled vehicle. Locating the vehicle, Trooper Patrick made contact with the driver who was walking away from the car. The driver opened fire, killing Trooper Patrick.

Appointed to the department on June 25, 2000, Trooper Patrick was assigned to the Lowell District. He is survived by his wife Melissa and their unborn child.